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LADY CURZON'S HOUSE.
Her Papa Presents Her With Carlton House Terrace.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
LONDON, Oct. 26.—(By Atlantic Cable.) L. Z. Letter of Chicago has purchased the property at No. 1 Carlton House Terrace, London, for his daughter, Lady Curzon of Kendleton, Vice-regent of India, for \$200,000. The house is next door to the residence of Arthur Balfour, First Lord of the Treasury, and government leader of the House of Commons.

Ex-Bloekader Laurada Attached.
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—The steamer Laurada of Cuban blockade-running fame is again in trouble. This time she is attached by Pilot Matthews for fees claimed to be due. The suit will not hold, however, as the Laurada is in the hands of a receiver appointed by a Northern Federal Court.

PARIS PIQUE.

Gen. Chanoine Wanted an Army Corps.

Brisson Fell Down Just Because He Wanted To.

Dreyfus Revision Case Comes Up in Court Today.

Gen. Kitchener and Maj. Marchand's Messengers Arrive in France Together—Money Rushing from the French Capital.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
PARIS, Oct. 26.—(By Atlantic Cable.) A distinctly more peaceable feeling regarding the Fashoda affair prevails in Paris this evening. President Faure is taking the crisis quietly, and the belief is stronger than it was yesterday that M. Brisson fell because he wished to fall.

It is now rumored that Gen. Chanoine resigned the War Office portfolio out of pique at the refusal of the General Staff Committee to give him command of an army corps. Extraordinary police precautions have been ordered against possible disturbances at the Court of Cassation tomorrow, where the Dreyfus revision appeal will be heard.

MONEY IS WITHDRAWN.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Post's London special says the sensational feature of today's markets is the flight of capital from Paris. French exchange on London is up to 124 1/2 centimes, or 10 centimes above the gold export point, showing a rush of money from Paris to London. The correspondent says: "I am told that Russia is withdrawing large sums from France and transferring them to London."

FAURE ASSASSINATED.
The Startling Rumor That Was Knocked Out This Morning.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A dispatch received at New York shortly after 4 o'clock this morning stated that London advices report the assassination of President Faure of France, but gave no details.

A COCKNEY BULL.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
PARIS, Oct. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The rumor of the assassination of Faure is false. The story seems to have been started in London.

BACK FROM FASHODA.
Gen. Kitchener and Marchand's Envoy Arrive in Paris.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
PARIS, Oct. 26.—(By Atlantic Cable.) Gen. Lord Herbert Kitchener, commander of the Anglo-Egyptian forces in the Sudan, and Capt. Barater, the French officer who brings Maj. Marchand's dispatches from Fashoda, arrived here at 1 o'clock this afternoon. Gen. Kitchener left the railway station unnoticed. The city is calm this afternoon.

KITCHENER AND BARATER.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]
MARSEILLES, Oct. 26.—Gen. Lord Kitchener of Khartoum and Capt. Barater, the bearer of Maj. Marchand's report on Fashoda, arrived from Alexandria, Egypt, today on board the Messageries steamer from that port. During the voyage the two officers dined together and cordially conversed on the customs of the tribes and peoples each had met.

The British Consul here met Gen. Kitchener on landing, and Capt. Barater received an affectionate greeting from his mother and brother. Gen. Kitchener and Capt. Barater left for Paris on the same train.

A crowd which assembled on the platform cheered Capt. Barater, and a delegation from the naval and commercial schools presented him with the insignia of Legion of Honor.

A deputation from the Geographical Society of Marseilles congratulated Capt. Barater. With Gen. Kitchener, the speakers expressed admiration of the general's Nile campaign and his work in behalf of civilization. He had thanked him for the courtesy he had extended to Maj. Marchand and his colleagues. The general thanked his visitors warmly and eulogized Maj. Marchand, whose expedition, he said, had excited the admiration of the world. The train then departed, amid shouts of "Vive Barater!" and "Vive Marchand!"

NOTABLE GUESTS.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
LONDON, Oct. 26.—Lieut.-Col. Alfred E. Bates, military attaché of the United States Embassy in London, and Lieut. J. S. Colwell, United States naval attaché with Gen. Harris and Col. Gourland, will attend the reception to be given Gen. Lord Kitchener on his arrival at Dover.

ORATORICAL OUTPOURING.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
LONDON, Oct. 26.—This evening has witnessed a great outpouring of eulogy on the Fashoda question. Speeches were made at various places. All recognized the gravity of the situation, but declared that even at the risk of

IT'S UNTIMELY

Cabinet Crisis That is Troubling Spain.

Unless Put Off it Would Have Delayed Negotiations.

Cuba is Offered Us if Other Demands are Suspended.

Washington Officials and Diplomats of Other Nations Admire the Dons' Adroitness—Debt Question Still the Hiccup.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
PARIS, Oct. 26.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The meeting of the Peace Commissioners today lasted an hour and five minutes, and was adjourned until tomorrow. Both the Spanish and American commissioners were more reticent after this session than ever before. The Americans fully appreciate not only their own serious responsibilities, but also the delicate position of their Spanish colleagues, to the burden of whose duties here is now added the critical political situation at Madrid, which may compel the president of the Spanish commission (who is also president of the Spanish Senate), Señor Montero de Rios, to leave Paris.

The Madrid correspondent of the Temps, confirming the report that Premier Sagasta and the Queen Regent have prevailed upon the Minister of War, Gen. Correa, to indefinitely postpone his resignation, pending the conclusion of the peace negotiations, says that they represented to the general that his withdrawal might entail not only the fall of the Cabinet, but cause the resignation of certain members of the Spanish commission, including Señor Montero de Rios, and thereby gravely compromise the United States.

The correspondent says: "The net result is that an open crisis seems to have been avoided until the conclusion of the treaty of peace. In any case, this has done away with the necessity of an ad interim government, which was lately suggested as likely to be the only solution of the present difficulties."

As the peace negotiations are now nearing the discussion of the Philippine question, the Americans feel no stage of the proceedings has so demanded their considerate treatment. It may not be stated tonight with certainty that the Cuban question has received its last consideration by the

STREET SCENES.
How the Volatile French Express Their Feelings.
[A. P. EARLY MORNING REPORT.]
NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—The Herald's Paris dispatches describing the street scenes attending the overthrow of the Brisson ministry, says: "The Socialists arranged to hold a demonstration on the Place de la Concorde, Paul de Roubled, who has a monopoly of patriotism in France, took this as a challenge. He accordingly gave his particular believers a rendezvous at the same place and time, and the same hour. A fight was inevitable. If the two parties met, the Prefect of Police made his plans to disperse both groups. At every point were strong detachments of police and municipal guards, and before the Automobile Club, the Ministry of Marine, and the big gate of the Tuilleries were stationed companies of foot Republican guards. Large reserve forces were posted in several parts, in addition to bodies of cuirassiers and mounted municipal guards patrolling the square in every direction."

As 2 o'clock drew near, people began to gather. They were not interfered with at first. There were no fights or disturbances for a time. The people seemed to have gathered more to see a spectacle than anything else. The first manifestation was provoked by the arrival of Paul de Roubled in a carriage. When the vehicle reached the middle of the Place de la Concorde it was surrounded by a shrieking, gesticulating crowd, and cries of "Vive l'armee!" M. de Roubled made a sort of triumphal procession, standing up in the carriage and waving his long arms and screaming hysterically, "Vive l'armee!"

The police were powerless to keep back the crowd. When the entrance to the Place de la Concorde was reached, however, the cavalry succeeded in turning the crowd and driving it back. At this moment M. Lucien Millevoye, editor of the Patrie and one of the loudest patriots in France, came up on foot, with ladies and another deputy, a pronounced anti-Semite. M. Millevoye was wearing his deputy's scarf, not as a mark of ostentation, or to attract attention, but simply in order to pass unnoticed. He was disappointed. No sooner was his tall figure seen divided with red and white and blue sash, than a howl went up. "Vive l'armee!" "Vive la France!" "Vive la Republique!" volleyed out along his path. Again the police were overpowered and out-manuevered.

The prefect had issued a proclamation last night threatening the instant arrest of any one who cried "down with any institution." No provision had been made for them who might shout "Long live" a particular thing they fancy, so the agents were non-plussed. Then a diversion was effected by the approach of Edouard Drumont, editor of La Libre Parole, and probably the worst sufferer from Semitophobia in the whole world. Nearer and nearer swept the roar of "Abas les Juifs," swelling in volume as it rolled along. It was a proud moment for M. Drumont. He could not contain his emotion while seated. In his passion for law and order he forgot the cry "Abas" or if anything was a rebidder. Standing up in his carriage, he yelled himself hoarse with "Abas les Juifs," "Vive l'armee."

Finally, all the Deputies were inside the Palais Bourbon, while the crowd on the other side of the Plasede la Concorde was getting bigger and bigger as time went on. All along the Rue Royale, the sidewalks and the middle of the street were crowded with a surging mass of people, good tempered enough as yet; still, with so much vital nervous energy, massed together an outbreak was possible, even probable. Again and again the Place de la Concorde was swept clear by mounted troops. They harassed and broke up the scattered crowd, and naturally enough more and more people were driven into the Rue Royale. The steps in front of the Madeleine were black with people, and sightseers covered every inch of the terrace surrounding the church. Every window along both

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TOO MUCH WET

Philadelphia Postpones the Civic Parade.

President McKinley Dined by the Union League Club.

His Remarks During the Day Were Very Brief.

Is Attended by a Body Guard of Detectives—Important Dispatches Brought to Him from Washington—Night Conference.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 26.—President McKinley was this evening tendered a dinner and reception at the Union League Club. The dinner was entirely informal, and was given by the board of directors of the league. There were sixty at the table. President Stuart of the league welcomed President McKinley, and the latter responded very briefly, simply with a few words of thanks.

Among those at the table were Vice-President Hobart, Postmaster-General Smith, Secretary Wilson, Secretary Alger, Gen. Miles, Commodore Philip, Capt. Robley D. Evans, Capt. Sigbee, Gen. Shafter, Wheeler, Chaffee, Patterson, Sumner, Lawson, Young and Sickles, Private Secretary Porter, Commodore Carey, Capt. A. Paget of the Royal British navy, Gov. Hastings and Mayor Warwick.

At the end of the dinner, the original banner of the Union League Club, with a number of old battle flags were brought into the dining-room by an escort of the Veteran Corps, under Col. Theodore Weldersham, and created considerable enthusiasm.

At the reception which followed, there were fully 4,000 guests. The crowd was so great that the President was not even asked to say anything. He stood in one of the side rooms, the line of visitors passing and shaking him by the hand. The Marine Band and the First Regiment Band and the regular orchestra of the league were in attendance.

Tomorrow President McKinley will review the military parade, and he expressed his regret that he will not be able to remain to see the proposed civic parade Friday. He says that there will be an important Cabinet meeting Friday morning, which will require his presence at Washington, and, furthermore, he desires to begin the preparation of his message to Congress. He will leave for Washington tomorrow night.

It is learned that the President has had with him, at all times since leaving Washington, a body guard of three detectives. The President said tonight that he never felt so safe as he did while in Philadelphia.

The only speech made by the President was a brief one as he was leaving the Union League shortly after 11 o'clock. A tremendous crowd of people had assembled in the street outside the building. Mayor Warwick and Naval Constructor Hobson passed out the door just ahead of the President, and on reaching the top of the steps leading to the sidewalk, the Mayor presented Lieut. Hobson to the crowd. A great cheer rose, and the hero of the Merrimac bowed and his acknowledgments. Then the President was introduced to the vast concourse of people by the Mayor.

When the cheering which followed the introduction of the President had subsided, the President said: "You have cheered the President of the United States and also cheered a hero of the late war. If you will be patient a few moments you will have an opportunity to cheer other heroes of the Merrimac."

The President then withdrew, and was escorted to his hotel. A moment later four of the crew of the Merrimac came from the building and were presented to the crowd. They received a most tremendous greeting. The Merrimac heroes then retired, and the crowd gradually dispersed.

PROGRAMME POSTPONED.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]
PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 26.—When President McKinley and Mrs. McKinley arrived here at noon today, instead of finding the city in the midst of the enjoyment of its peace celebration, they found a dreary, desolate condition of affairs, and many thousand citizens and visitors were disappointed at the interruption of the Peace Jubilee exercises by the rain.

The day's programme included the civic parade. At 5 o'clock this morning, however, rain began to fall heavily, and until 10 o'clock there was a heavy downpour. During the remainder of the day heavy rain fell at frequent intervals. Early in the day the Citizens' Committee concluded to abandon the day's programme and to postpone the parade until Friday.

The Presidential party was met at the station by a reception committee

POINTS OF THE NEWS IN TODAY'S TIMES.

[THE BUDGET—This morning's fresh telegraphic budget, received since dark last night, includes the principal Associated Press (or night) report, many exclusive Times dispatches, including a New York budget from our special correspondent, making about 18 columns. In addition is a day report, not so voluminous or fresh, of about 9 columns—the whole making a mass of wired news aggregating the large volume of 27 columns. A summary of both telegraphic and local news follows:]

The City—Pages 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14.
Appointments by Chairman Rule of the Republican City Council Committee.... Prosecution in the Clark murder trial closes and the defense begins.... Criminal proceedings instituted against oil men to test the legality of the ordinance protecting the parks.... Two arrests to be made today.... Fire department to receive a large sum from the State Insurance Commissioner.... Charges against two members of the fire department.... A Whittier graduate held to answer on a charge of burglary. Board of arbitrators perfect organization by electing Col. G. H. Mendell chairman.... Walter Price acquitted of larceny.... Proposition to establish a State department of good roads.... "Business Opportunities" Barlow's expected attack upon Mr. Waters consists of an attempted vindication of his own actions.... Death of a colored woman from fasting, at the direction of a voodoo priestess.... Boy killed by a street car.... C. P. Huntington gives valuable aid to the horse show.

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Southern California—Page 13.
Thomas Dilley accidentally killed en route to a merrymaking—Buried today from Santa Ana.... Catholic Orphan's Fair at Santa Barbara—Republican round-up Saturday night.... Active temperance element in Ventura.... Castle speaks at Riverside.... Republicans at Hemet.... Water troubles to be settled in court at San Bernardino. Soldier boys' surplus funds.... Republican rally at Bloomington.... Sad death of a young Norwegian at Pasadena.... American Club dates.... C. A. Newton dies in Yucaipa Valley from forest-fire burns.... Reception to Co. B at San Diego—Strange life story—Coronado notes.... Public Improvements at Anaheim.... Pomona College president makes his annual report.... Gov. Smith fully recovered at Soldiers' Home.... Santa Monica Boulevard Society work. Army and Navy League.

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OFFICERS ASSIGNED.

STAFFS FOR THREE OF THE ARMY CORPS.

New Stations Designated for the Respective Brigades of the Several Divisions.

SEVENTH CORPS REORGANIZED.

MAJ.-GEN. LEE WILL REMAIN ITS COMMANDER.

Hecker Board's Report Under Consideration—The War Inquiry. Gen. Sumner's Trip West. Skelley's Promotion.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—The following assignments of staff officers to brigades in the First, Second and Fourth Army Corps have been made by the War Department:

First Corps, First Brigade, First Division, Atlanta, Ga.—Assistant adjutant-general, Capt. William F. Hancock; quartermaster, Capt. Samuel A. Smoke; commissary of subsistence, Capt. John M. Tobin; surgeon-general, Maj. John C. Martin.

Second Brigade, First Division, Macomb, Ga.—Assistant adjutant-general, Capt. Theodore Botkin; quartermaster, Capt. Lewis W. Williams; commissary of subsistence, Capt. William D. Cowitt; surgeon, Maj. Charles M. Drake.

Third Brigade, First Division, Macomb, Ga.—Assistant adjutant-general, Capt. Sherrill Babcock; quartermaster, Capt. Samuel Baird; commissary of subsistence, Capt. Charles E. Cabell; surgeon, Maj. Elmer A. Heg.

First Brigade, Second Division, Columbus, Ga.—Assistant adjutant-general, Capt. Frederick J. Kountz; quartermaster, Capt. Moses Walton, Jr.; commissary of subsistence, Capt. W. L. Daveny; surgeon, Maj. John L. Macomber.

Second Brigade, Second Division, Americus, Ga.—Assistant adjutant-general, Capt. Willard A. Holbrook; quartermaster, Capt. Allen; commissary of subsistence, Capt. C. E. Holden; surgeon, Maj. Frank Bruse.

Third Brigade, Second Division, Albany, Ga.—Assistant adjutant-general, Capt. William R. Sample; quartermaster, Capt. Abraham Beckham; commissary of subsistence, Capt. James C. Grant; surgeon-general, Maj. Robert Burns.

Second Corps, Camp Meade, Pa.: First Brigade, First Division—Assistant adjutant-general, Lucien C. Berry; quartermaster, Capt. Laurence C. Baker; commissary of subsistence, Capt. John Landstreet; surgeon, Maj. William T. Wakeman.

Second Brigade, First Division—Assistant adjutant-general, Capt. Arthur F. Cosby; quartermaster, Capt. John C. Breckinridge; commissary of subsistence, Capt. Morton J. Henry; surgeon, Maj. Henry I. Raymond.

Third Brigade, First Division—Assistant adjutant-general, Capt. A. Wilson Norris; quartermaster, Capt. Miles H. Holden; commissary of subsistence, Capt. Harlow L. Street; surgeon, Maj. William B. Banister.

First Brigade, Second Division—Assistant adjutant-general, Capt. James A. Colvin; quartermaster, Capt. Chester B. Worthington; commissary of subsistence, Capt. Frank H. Lord; surgeon, Maj. Philip Wales.

Second Brigade, Second Division—Assistant adjutant-general, Capt. Daniel B. Devore; quartermaster, Capt. Edward J. Fanning; commissary of subsistence, Capt. John Duhany, Jr.; surgeon, Maj. Joseph K. Weaver.

Third Brigade, Second Division—Assistant adjutant-general, Capt. Robert E. Sewell; quartermaster, Capt. Edward F. Barrett; commissary of subsistence, Capt. Orson Pettit; surgeon, Maj. Charles Park.

First Brigade, Third Division—Assistant adjutant-general, Capt. William E. Horton; quartermaster, Capt. William Cavanaugh; commissary of subsistence, Capt. Carroll Mercer; surgeon, Maj. William L. Kneeder.

Second Brigade, Third Division—Assistant adjutant-general, Capt. Charles G. Treat; quartermaster, Capt. William K. Alexander; commissary of subsistence, Capt. C. C. Dodge; surgeon, Maj. William de Nedmann.

Fifth Corps: First Brigade, First Division, Huntsville, Ala.—Assistant adjutant-general, Capt. Gordon Voorhies; quartermaster, Capt. George S. Cartwright; commissary of subsistence, Capt. F. J. Elkins; surgeon, Maj. J. S. Glenn.

Second Brigade, First Division, Huntsville, Ala.—Assistant adjutant-general, Capt. John C. Gilmore, Jr.; quartermaster, Capt. Harry B. Chamberlain; commissary of subsistence, Capt. John P. Teagarden; surgeon, William Kendall.

First Brigade, Second Division, Aniston, Ala.—Assistant adjutant-general, Capt. Francis B. Harrison; quartermaster, Capt. William M. Ekin; commissary of subsistence, Capt. Winslow S. Lincoln; surgeon, Maj. Samuel G. Armstrong.

Second Brigade, Second Division, Aniston, Ala.—Assistant adjutant-general, Capt. C. Thompson; quartermaster, Capt. Edwin R. Butler; commissary of subsistence, Capt. George B. McCallum; surgeon, Maj. John B. Dodge.

Cavalry brigade, Huntsville, Ala.—Assistant adjutant-general, Capt. C. D. Rhodes; quartermaster, Capt. Marion M. McMillin; commissary of subsistence, Capt. Salmon F. Dutton; surgeon, Maj. Henry P. Lee.

The officers named, who are now on duty with the brigades to which they are assigned, will accompany the troops to their new stations. Those who are not now with the brigades to which they are assigned, will proceed to the stations and report for duty November 1, 1898, or as soon thereafter as practicable.

CORPS REORGANIZATION.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—An order has been issued by the War Department for the reorganization of the Seventh Corps as follows:

Cavalry Brigade—Seventh United States Cavalry, Eighth United States Cavalry.

First Division, First Brigade—First Texas Infantry, Second Louisiana Infantry, Third Nebraska Infantry, Second South Carolina Infantry, Fourth Illinois Infantry.

Second Division, First Brigade—One Hundred and Sixty-first Indiana Infantry, Second Illinois Infantry, First North Carolina Infantry, Second Virginia Infantry, Forty-ninth Iowa Infantry, Sixth Missouri Infantry.

The following assignment of general officers by the President is announced: Maj.-Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, commanding: First Division, Gen. Warren Keifer, commanding: First Brigade, First Division, Brig.-Gen. Lloyd Wheaton, commanding: Second Brigade, First Division, Brig.-Gen. Edgar Williston, commanding: Second Division, Maj.-Gen. Francis V. Greene, commanding: First Brigade, Second Division, Brig.-Gen. Henry T. Douglass, commanding:

ONE IDEAL CAMP.

Gen. Carpenter Locates it at Fernandina.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.) HUNTSVILLE (Ala.), Oct. 26.—The War Inquiry Commission has today, with Gen. Louis H. Carpenter, who is in command in Gen. Wheeler's absence. He had been at Chickamauga, Tampa, and at Fernandina before coming here. He said that the camp at Chickamauga was too crowded and that at Tampa was unsatisfactory, but it was not intended to be permanent; that at Fernandina was ideal. Food supplies had been ample throughout, but quartermaster supplies were generally slow, and there had been special difficulty in securing tents. There was more trouble in getting supplies at Tampa than anywhere else, because of railroad congestion.

Maj. Charles M. Drake, the surgeon who was in charge of the medical supplies depot at Tampa, said he had been able to fill all reasonable requisitions for medical supplies with promptness, but many bulky articles, for which substitutes could be had were not supplied. The regulars were easily satisfied, but the volunteers were exacting.

SELECTION OF CAMPS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—The final selection of camp sites for the American troops who will garrison Cuba

awaiting the President's return from Philadelphia. It was discussed at some length at the Cabinet meeting yesterday, and as the various reports of the Becker board were not finally disposed of, it is probable that the Cabinet will feel that it should take some expert advice before making final selections. The troops will not be landed at the places that have been recommended by the Becker board are: Guanabacoa, which can be reached best from Regla, opposite Havana, with a steamer; Playa de Mariano, and Mariel on the bay of the same name, about twenty-five miles from Havana, and beyond Mariel. All these sites fulfill the needs of the good camping grounds, but in each case the Becker board has found that there must be considerable expenditure by the government for permanent landing places are to be provided, so that the troops will not run the risk of infection by passing through Havana.

MUST EXAMINE DOCTORS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.) ATLANTA (Ga.), Oct. 26.—An order from the War Department has been received at Fort McPherson, instructing that a board meet at the earliest day practicable, and examine all contract doctors here. There are eight of those physicians at Fort McPherson. The board will consist of one surgeon-major and two captains.

LAST MANILA EXPEDITION.

(A. P. EARLY MORNING REPORT.) SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—The Indiana will sail for Manila tomorrow with the First and Second battalions of the Kansas Regiment on board. Tomorrow the First and Third battalions of the Tennessee Regiment will sail on the Ohio. Col. Funston will be in command of the former expedition, and Col. Wholly of the latter. The First-Third Iowa has been assigned to the Pennsylvania, which vessel will carry all of the regiment.

The Zealandia will be ready by Sunday. To the vessel will be assigned the Third Battalion of the Kansas Regiment, and possibly a battalion of the Tennessee Regiment. The Zealandia will be left of the troops only about 200 men, who will be sent on a small vessel.

FOR A MILITARY POST.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.) DENVER (Colo.), Oct. 26.—Gen. E. V. Sumner, commanding the Department of the Missouri and Colorado, and Capt. William H. Beck, inspector-general of the Department of the Missouri, left here today for Sheridan, Wyo., on a special train. The object of the trip is to inspect the site for a military post at Sheridan. Should it be decided to establish a post there, accommodations will be provided for twelve companies.

CABLEGRAM FROM OTIS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.) WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—The following cable has been received at the War Department:

"MANILA, Oct. 26.—Adjutant-General. Washington: Transport City of Para leaves today for San Francisco, carrying a mail, Maj. William P. Pay, Lieut. Williams, ordnance, on board. Transports Scandia and Condor still in port. Scandia probably leaves within ten days for San Francisco. Can be utilized freight purposes. Quiet here, and conditions believed to be improving."

SKELEY'S PROMOTION.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—Maj.-Gen. Miles has received a telegram from Lieut. L. S. Skelley at Vancouver Barracks, Wash., saying he had just returned from a trip through the unexplored region of Alaska as far as the Tanana River, and is ready for other service. This officer is a noted scout, having served gallantly with Gen. Miles in most of his Indian campaigns.

During his absence he was commissioned a captain in one of the immune regiments, but owing to the fact that he was beyond the reach of communication, the commission was not issued. Now that he has returned, however, the original plan will be put into effect, and he will be appointed a captain in one of the immune regiments, destined for service in Cuba.

USE FOR TRAINS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) CAMP MEADE (Middleton, Pa.), Oct. 26.—It will require eighteen trains with twelve cars to the train to take the troops from Camp Meade to Philadelphia. The government has commenced this morning, Gen. Graham, with Gen. Young and Davis and their staffs, were in the first train with detachments of the Engineer and Signal Corps. Then followed the troops on other trains, which went out at intervals and consumed the entire day. The last train will reach Philadelphia tomorrow night. Surg.-Gen. Girard has assurances that the boys will be cared for in the Quaker city.

THIRTY-SIX SICK MEN.

Thirty-six sick men, suffering from fever, were removed from the Red Cross and division hospitals to Lancaster and Reading today, where they will be cared for in city hospitals.

EIGHTH IN LINE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—The battalion of the Eighth California, now at Fort Point, will move to the Presidio proper Friday. This is regarded by the knowing ones at Camp Merrim as an indication that the Eighth is in line for a trip to Manila.

TRANSPORT MANITOBA.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—The transport Manitoba, Capt. Quick, arrived in

quarantine at 9 o'clock tonight from Ponce, having on board the Third Wisconsin Volunteers, under command of Col. M. T. Moore; also ninety men belonging to various regiments in Porto Rico, who are being sent home on furlough. There is no sickness on board the vessel.

SICK SUFFERED.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) HUNTSVILLE (Ala.), Oct. 26.—During the afternoon session of the commission, a number of officers who had served in the Santiago campaign and in Florida, were examined. Gen. G. S. Carpenter said the sick at Santiago had suffered somewhat on account of the deficiency of medical supplies and medicines.

Capt. George C. Cartwright, who had been aide to Gen. Kent in the Santiago campaign, said that the sickness of the men had been hungry at times. He thought, however, that under the circumstances, the commissary department had been quite efficient at Santiago.

THE REFORMED POPULIST.

I went to hear Burdette Colnyell or Cornyell or whatever his surname might be at the fanatic fusionists' headquarters the other night. He was introduced to a wondering auditory as the Populistic Boy Demosthenes of the Pacific Coast, and he did not fail to live up to the expectation of the boys, for instead of pebbles as used by the gentleman of that name according to legend, our Demosthenic Burdette talked as if he had not mush in his mouth.

He had a grave subject, and the grave air in which he checked it piece by piece one would have thought he was masticating a corpse as in truth he was, for the free silver questions are today an international corpse, and no commercial or financial or other like our California Cornell or our Nebraska Bryan can resuscitate it again to life. It may take a few kicks, but it will be the kicking of a dead man, and will be electrically sustained for a few brief moments by interested politicians before final financial decomposition sets in, and by the electric shock of the tongue, and the superficial paralogues of Popocratic delusionists and Democratic humbugs return once more to the elements from which they were evolved.

I understand that our puerile Demosthenes the tongue was born on a farm, and the way acted on the rostrum one would think he had often imitated the squeal of a pig when the assassin's knife was on his throat, when the sixteen to one question was an all-important consideration to Mr. Figgie for the blood of his body was cooling, and the rate of sixteen drops of blood it gave second to none. Young Burdette has become a disciple of Blackstone since last I saw him, and recently obtained his shepkenin. But the other night his speech skin was clothed in a black case, while according to the statutory law of the tongue he himself determined his own supreme power in his state of mind which issued sixteen silly superfluous falsehoods to one true idea, sixteen superfluous financial fallacies to one minute of exact truth.

Young Burdette is a many-sided champion of what he considers to be the people's rights. He is as his name implies, a birdlike or in the peculiar phraseology of Prattler Biers a birdling with a purpose. He is a sweetly twisted fellow, in the belief of a very tongue and his noise is as sound in brass and tinkling cymbal. From the front door of his face I heard the bell-like ringing of his words, and the cause of his wonderful gift of gab and kush, his followers have raised him to the throne of oratory and crowned him with the beauty of a rainbow.

He is a musician, for he can toot his bawoon in sixteen different ways during an evening's entertainment. He is a lighted candle, for he can give sixteen different hues to a rainbow-visioned thought in the sky of one money-reliant mind.

He is the High Priest of Sophisticated Incantation, a prestidigitator of politics, a Grand Master in the art of oratorical jugglery, a juggler of words, a twister of ideas, an intellectual acrobat in the realm of mind, and can most successfully hypnotize himself into the belief of a Madison Square in the world of international economic.

He is a jugglesmith and twists words as a professional chicken-killer would as he twists words, twisting words of whom he would be rid.

In the audacity of his miraculous grasp of thought he creates, by the dexterity of his rhetorical beak, a world of wealth and new heavens of joy. In the tripping of his tongue he becomes a journeyman into countries rich in poetic fancies, and he can paint a painter's dream and fragrant as the odor of a siren's breath, and his organ of speech plays songs of silvery melody and the mighty trumpet of his words is tuned by faith to the sixteen-to-one hallucination.

He is a political dancing master and can waltz a figure of rhetorical beauty into the arms of a mighty statistical thought with an audacity of mien and a firmness of visage unusual to compare with one so juvenile.

But looking at things from the sober side of fact I would like to ask Burdette Cornyell or whatever his name is a suppositionist a few pertinent questions.

Are you not, in the last analysis, a flat-headed deceiver?

If there be any strength in flat finance I arise to a point of order and would like to know why flat food could not be as nourishing to bodily strength and health? In other words, if we can have flat money, why can we not have flat nutrition?

If legislation can make 40 cents worth of silver bullion equal to a hundred cents worth of gold bullion why cannot legislation make a forty-pound sack of flour equal to a hundred-pound sack of wheat? In other words, why cannot 40 per cent. of a gallon of skimmed milk be made equal by law to a gallon of Jersey cream?

If an irredeemable dollar is just as good as a redeemable in gold, why should not an irredeemable order for a meal of victuals be just as good as a meal, and equally as nourishing?

At the present writing corn is cheaper than wheat and corn bread is not so much in demand as wheat bread, but why not by law create bicereallism without regard to any other nation?

If a law can legislate value in a thing and make sixteen ounces of silver equal to one ounce of gold, why cannot law by legislation make a pound of butter equal to sixteen ounces of cream bread? Every ounce of wheat bread made!

A REFORMED POPULIST.

HAWAIIAN POSTAGE STAMPS.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—Postmaster-General Smith has issued an order directing that Hawaiian postage stamps shall be recognized at their face value for the prepayment of postage on all articles mailed in Hawaii for delivery in the United States or elsewhere.

Assurance License Revoked.

LANSING (Mich.), Oct. 26.—State Insurance Commissioner Cahill today revoked the license of the Northern Assurance Company of London, because said company has, as alleged, written insurance in a manner other than through a duly-authorized agent.

PARIS PIQUE.

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sides of the street was filled with heads, every chair and table in the cafes was occupied.

Thicker and more compact grew the crowd and certain symptoms of irritation began to show themselves. Its good humor was evidently evaporating. A cab man who drove slowly by, had the idea to cry "Vive Brisson." Immediately his vehicle was stoned and himself roughly handled. Jules Guerin of the Libre Parole, and M. Marat, another anti-Semite, got up a sort of side manifestation around one of the fountains in the Place de la Concord. Cries of "Vive l'armee," "Abas le Juifs" rang out. M. Le Proust, police commissaire, strove forward to arrest one of the crowd, who yelled "Mort aux Juifs."

The anti-Semites at once fell upon the poor commissaire and rained a shower of blows upon him with their sticks.

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RANDSBURG.

EXTENSIVE IMPROVEMENTS ON THE YELLOW ASTER.

Contracts Let for a Thirty-stamp Mill, Electric Light Plant, Lines and Reservoir—New Boom for the Camp.

RANDBURG, Oct. 24.—[Regular Correspondence.] John Singleton, Mrs. Dr. Burdett and F. M. Movers, all of the Yellow Aster Mining Company, are in Randburg, where they have been for some time. Mr. Singleton has been absent on account of ill health, and Mr. Movers has been spending most of the summer at Randburg. The new thirty-stamp mill is almost completed, and work upon the water works, and great development has been done. The foundation and retaining walls for the new thirty-stamp mill are almost completed, and work upon the water works, and great development has been done.

The mill and pipe line will cost in the neighborhood of \$25,000. The mill will be a two-story building, and the pipe line will be a two-inch diameter. The mill will be a two-story building, and the pipe line will be a two-inch diameter. The mill will be a two-story building, and the pipe line will be a two-inch diameter.

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Does Your Head Ache?

Are your nerves weak? Can't you sleep well? Pain in your back? Lack of energy? Appetite poor? Digestion bad? Bile or pimples? These are but some of the troubles that result from the contents of the bowels are not removed from the body each day, as nature intended, and the poisons which are absorbed into the blood, always causing suffering and frequently causing severe disease. There is a common-sense cure.

Ayer's PILLS

They daily insure an easy and natural movement of the bowels. Price, 25c a box. All druggists. Ayer's Sassaaparilla. For the cure of all blood diseases. Write the doctor just how you are suffering. You will receive the best medicine free of charge. Dr. J. C. Ayer, Lowell, Mass.

million dollars already, and has distributed \$175,000 in dividends, and is not yet opened. Today it is the cheapest property in the State at \$1,000,000.

Iowa Humor.

The Eldora (Ia.) Herald thinks it ought to adopt forthwith the following schedule of special advertising rates: For calling on a man a progressive citizen, when everybody knows he is lazier than a government mule, \$2.75.

Referring to a deceased citizen as one who is sincerely mourned by the entire community, when we know he will be missed in poker circles, \$1.08.

Referring to some gallivanting female as an "estimable lady whom it is a pleasure to meet," when every business man in town would rather see the devil coming, hoofs, horns and all, than to see her coming toward them, \$3.19.

Speaking of a candidate as a pleasant and agreeable person, when we know he has always wanted some office, from roadmaster up, since he was 21 years of age, \$1.07 per speak.

Calling an ordinary pulpit pounder an "eminent divine," 60 cents.

Traveling quack doctors as the eminent physician and surgeon, or illustrious disciple of Esculapius, \$8.00.

Pettyfogger, as legal luminary or expounder of Blackstone, \$2.13.

Bridal as charming, young, talented and wealthy, when she has yellow hair, green eyes, wart on her nose, hump-backed, can't read large primer without glasses, and has a wooden leg, \$1.26.

An Ohio Gold Discovery.

MAINEVILLE (O.), Oct. 26.—Excitement over the discovery of the gold mine near this city continues unabated. A big crusher is nearly ready for operation. Various geologists to whom samples of gold-bearing rock have been sent, report that it contains gold in paying quantities. The gold, it is estimated, will run from \$14 to \$40 per ton of rock. Experienced gold miners who have arrived here and prospected, say gold exists in paying quantities.

Transmissouri Association Impracticable.

CHICAGO, Oct. 26.—The Post today says: "An independent Transmissouri passenger association has turned out to be wholly impracticable. At least, the roads east of the river to arrange the basis of the organization of such association."

Mr. Bertrand, the veteran teacher of fencing, has just died in London, aged 88. Among his pupils have been the late Emperor of the French and the Prince Imperial; also such famous actors as Irving, Beerbaum Tree, Forbes Robertson and Bancroft. A vagabond newspaper man once wrote to ten professional rivals of Bertrand, asking who was the second best fencing master in Paris. Each replied that Bertrand was the man.

Dependable Men's

If you would avoid disappointment an establishment known to be strictly or off grades of goods, a house that deserves it, by selling you only those CLASS in every respect—ask any reliable clothing house and see what he will

The Best Tailored Suits for Men

\$8.50 to \$35.

Suits at Fair Prices.

in the matter of your fall suit, buy of reliable, one that never handles job lots, appreciates your confidence and means to goods that are KNOWN to be FIRST-class business man where to find such a say.

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Store Closed.

Our great auction was brought to a close last night by important engagements which our auctioneers were obliged to meet elsewhere. We are left with the bulk of our new fall importations on hand, including Haviland China, Cut Glass, Art Goods, Bohemian Glass and Fancy Wares.

Thursday and Friday

Our store will be closed to enable us to unpack our new goods. An announcement will be made tomorrow of an especially interesting nature.

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Watches, Diamonds, Silverware, Retail at wholesale prices.

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as natural as water flows from an artesian well

Listen, we want to tell you something. Everyone recognizes this store to be domestic headquarters, Hale's California stores are famous the country over for their unparalleled handling of domestics. They simply manipulate the entire market on the coast. The J. M. Hale Co. of this city being their southern representative. Few people in Los Angeles appreciate how close they are to the loom centers, step into this store and you are right in touch with every domestic maker in the country. Now, a few hints of what it all means:

60-inch Table Linen for 25c and is full-bleached, comparative value is 30c.

7½c Cotton Towels for 4c 18x36 in. and full bleached.

36-inch Bleached Flannel 4½c wide, fleecy and warm.

5000 yds Checked Gingham 10c Cut from 12½c. In the most exquisite designs of new fall plaids and checks, a popular shirt waist fabric.

10c Percales for 8½c.

Red Flannel 20c yd that is 27 in. wide, twilled and wool dyed.

Pillow Cases for 9c plain hemmed and 42x36 in.

J. M. Hale Co. 107-109 N. SPRING ST.

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OF THE CHOICEST MATERIAL

FASTED TOO MUCH.

COLORED WOMAN DIES UNDER PECULIAR CONDITIONS.

Spent Eight Days in the River Bed Without Food or Shelter from the Elements.

ALL FOR ATONEMENT OF SINS.

VICTIM OF THE TEACHINGS OF A VODOON PRIESTESS.

White and Colored People Under the Influence of a Fanatic Negro—Warrant for Her Arrest to Be Sworn Out.

A young colored woman named Nellie Thompson died under circumstances that will lead to an investigation which is likely to result in an exposure of the doings of old "Mammy" Williams, a so-called voodoo priestess, whose extraordinary performances have from time to time reached the ears of the public during the last few years.

According to the story told by Milton Combs, a colored chiropractor, and other colored people living in the neighborhood of the "Saints' Quarters," as "Mammy" Williams' establishment is called, people are being starved to death there through obedience to the priestess's commands to fast in order to gain remission of their sins. It was under such circumstances as these, it is alleged, that Mrs. Nellie Thompson died.

Mrs. Thompson is dead. There is no doubt about that. She died in the patrol wagon while being removed from "Mammy" Williams' shack to the County Hospital. A coroner's jury will decide today whether her death resulted from starvation and exposure, as alleged by persons who profess to know, Dr. Combs, his wife and a number of other people make no bones about saying that "Mammy" Williams is responsible for Mrs. Thompson's death, and say they are willing to back their opinion in court. Combs will apply for a warrant for Mrs. Williams' arrest this morning.

Combs and his friends relate some harrowing tales about "Mammy" Williams and her doings. They say she possesses a strange power which she wields over people, white and black, who come under her baleful influence. She does it all in the name of religion, and her deluded followers obey her commands even to the extent of destroying themselves physically by self-inflicted deprivations, which she makes them believe are necessary for their souls' salvation.

CASE OF MRS. THOMPSON.

The suffering and death of Mrs. Nellie Thompson, Dr. Combs and others cite as a case illustrative of "Mammy" Williams' fanatical teachings. Mrs. Thompson, they say, was until a few years ago a well-to-do, healthy, industrious young colored woman. She leased a pleasant three-room house, surrounded it with a well-kept garden and supported herself comfortably by taking in washing. She was a fairly educated woman and well-read on religious topics. Her zeal for Christianity brought her in contact with "Mammy" Williams, who for four or five years has been holding daily religious services in a shack on a lot on East Fifth street near San Julian.

It was not long before "Mammy" Williams gained complete control of Mrs. Thompson, persuaded her to give up all her earthly belongings, quit work and devote her time to the service of the Lord. Mrs. Thompson took up her abode with the priestess in the "Saints' Quarters," an aggregation of three or four miserable hovels on Seaton street, back of the Arcade depot. There she continued her devotions unceasingly under Mammy Williams' direction, but by and by she transgressed to the degree of making repentance by extreme physical suffering necessary, according to the teachings of her priestess.

PASTED EIGHT DAYS.

Just what Mrs. Thompson's particular sin was is not known, but friends who interested themselves in her case aver that the priestess ordered her to fast eight days in the wilderness. So to the Los Angeles River bed, the nearest accessible wilderness, Mrs. Thompson went, where she fasted and prayed for eight days and nights. Her only shelter during all that time was a small piece of old matting to lie upon, and a piece of carpet for covering.

At the end of the required period of her fastings she returned to the "Saints' Quarters" in a greatly emaciated condition. The coarse food offered her to break her fast would not remain on her stomach, so she gradually began to waste away from inanition.

When her colored friends outside the "Saints' Quarters" learned of her condition, they tried to convey some nourishing food to her, and furnish medical treatment. But Mammy Williams would let no one approach her, and a big padlock on the gate to the inclosure in which the priestess and her disciples live kept out all intruders.

Believing that the woman would surely die under such conditions, Dr. Combs, as a last resort, swore out a complaint charging Mrs. Thompson with insanity. Sheriff Burr accordingly ordered the woman removed to the County Hospital. The hospital ambulance broke down yesterday afternoon while on the way to the "Saints' Quarters" to get the woman, so the police patrol wagon was used.

MRS. THOMPSON'S DEATH.

When the news got abroad that the patrol wagon was coming, a crowd of about one hundred excited white and colored people gathered around the "Saints' Quarters." Mammy Williams and her few disciples, who were not too feeble from fasting, meanwhile began cleaning up the premises in anticipation of the visit from the officers. They swept and brushed and carried out piles of old rags, which they burned in the yard. Some of the superstitious colored spectators thought the smoke which was made was some device of the alleged enchantment to drive away evil spirits.

When Driver McKenzie and Officer Richardson arrived with the wagon, the padlock was still on the gate, and Mammy Williams refused to open it. Richardson vaulted over the barricade and went into the shack where Mrs. Thompson lay, to investigate. He came out and reported that the woman was too far gone to risk moving. After a consultation it was decided to move her any way.

After being threatened with arrest, Mammy Williams unlocked the gate. She said she would allow white officers of the law to enter upon the "holy ground," but she didn't want any "black devils" to trespass. Mrs. Thompson was placed on a stretcher and lifted into the wagon, which then started for the hospital, but before the viaduct was reached the woman was dead. The body was taken to the hospital and later in the evening was removed to Orr & Hines's morgue.

where the Coroner will hold an inquest today.

OTHER VICTIMS.

Dr. Combs alleges that Mrs. Thompson is not the only victim of Mammy Williams' peculiar teachings. A young German named Bassey, he says, recently fasted fifteen days and is now so weak and emaciated that he can hardly stand.

A Swede named Anderson was a disciple of the voodoo priestess, Combs and others declare, for about two years and was finally rescued from her grip by his sister.

Another white man named Allender, it is alleged, left the "Saints' Quarters" last spring in a famished condition, and is reported to have since died.

Most sensational of all is the statement of a colored girl named Laura, aged about 16, is at present under the influence. Dr. Combs appealed to her yesterday to come out of the trap, but she only gave him a mournful glance and retreated into one of the shacks inside the fence which separates the "holy ground" from the rest of the world.

MRS. WILLIAMS' CAREER.

Mrs. Williams came to Los Angeles from Texas six or seven years ago. She began preaching at once and for quite a while had a large following among the more ignorant colored population. Her system of long fasts for infractions of the divine law, as interpreted by her, was, however, calculated to discourage those of her disciples who were blessed with a full set of digestive organs, so they gradually dropped away, and her congregation has dwindled to a mere handful.

Her religious meetings are held in a shedlike room in the rear of the cabin of Mrs. Ellen Wesley on East Fifth street, where she holds forth daily and nightly to such as will hearken to her words. Mrs. Wesley is one of her disciples, and Dr. Combs contemplated including her in the complaint which is about to apply for against Mrs. Williams. It is probable, however, that he will swear out a warrant for the arrest of John Williams, the husband of the prophetess, was but recently released from State's prison where he served a term for attempt to murder. Williams slashed a colored girl named Laura Cilsby with a razor in a frightful manner, then threw her out of a second-story window of a building on Los Angeles street. For this offense he was sent to the penitentiary, but he has served his time and is again living with his priestly wife. He is not one of the fasters.

GERMANY'S SLY MOVE.

SHE ENDEAVORS TO COVER THE ENDS OF THE CANAL.

Secret Compact With England Has Given Her the Latter's Possession in Samoa—How She is Trying to Establish Herself in Santo Domingo—The Countermove.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Oct. 26.—A special to the Journal from Washington says the State Department has discovered a clever scheme on the part of the German government to acquire coaling stations or naval bases in both the Atlantic and Pacific at points where they will come in direct conflict with the interests of this country when the Nicaraguan Canal is built.

In this same connection the department has also unearthed what appears to be a breach of faith on the part of England toward the United States in Samoa. Ever since the death of King Maitote, Germany has been running things in Samoa apparently independent of the triple protectorate exercised by the United States, Great Britain and Germany. Careful investigation has convinced the State Department that Germany and England have made a secret compact whereby the latter has ceded to the former its rights in Samoa under the protectorate, and has consented, for a consideration, to allow Germany to utilize the island as a coaling and naval station.

While this compact between England and Germany is not an actual violation of the protectorate, it is yet practically a breach of faith on the part of England, while professing the utmost friendliness for this country, to give to its rival in the Pacific rights which may cause a serious clash.

Germany is bent on securing naval stations as near to the proposed isthmian canal as possible. If it has England's claim in Samoa, it is established at the Pacific end. For the eastern end, it is working out a plan which may give the State Department much trouble to circumvent. It is said that Germany is trying to secure a naval base at Santo Domingo. Should she succeed here, the United States, which expects to build the canal, would find itself at a disadvantage at the outset. Porto Rico is to be the American naval base in the West Indies. It is admirably situated for this purpose, but should Germany secure a foothold in Santo Domingo, it would be in a better strategic position for control of the canal than would this country.

The republic of Santo Domingo is heavily indebted. Most of its bonds are held in Germany, and the Kaiser expects to acquire a naval station by threatening foreclosure on his bonds. The President of Santo Domingo and Smith Weed of New York, representing the syndicate which controls the customs revenue and stands ready for the annual expenses of the republic, are holding conferences. Should it be disclosed that there is no other way to prevent Germany from securing the coveted naval base, it is highly probable that the annexation of Santo Domingo to the United States will be attempted.

It is said that the annexation of Santo Domingo would be a small price for the United States to pay to prevent Germany from acquiring a naval base at the very mouth of the canal.

El Dorado Republicans.

At the regular weekly meeting of the El Dorado Republican Club last evening, Senator Simpson of Pasadena, Supervisor E. S. Field, A. A. Montano, Ernest Covarrubias, Dave Brandt, Republican candidate for Councilman in the Eighth Ward, Jannie Moreno, F. Lauterio, Ralph Sepulveda, and others addressed the club. Resolutions condemning the independent candidacy of John Burns for Supervisor were adopted.

Widow Pixley's Estate.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—An inventory and appraisement of the estate of Mrs. Amelia V. R. Pixley, the deceased widow of the late Frank M. Pixley, was filed today in the Superior Court. The total value of the estate is \$184,636.

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"The glory of the navy and the glory of the war, which it shares with the army, is not, however, the four all; or rather it is not in the brutal elements of battle. It is rather in the fine instinct, the heroic courage, the splendid devotion, the intense patriotism which nerve men to endure what others would deem insupportable horrors of armed conflict, for the sake of the cause for which they are fighting.

"The war through which we have just passed was not waged for the exaltation of victory. It was for the unadorned devotion of the people, the elevation of an oppressed people, the divine visitation of the coming century. It was a revelation to the Spanish prisoners when they found themselves received in the campment, rather than prison, at Portsmouth, with Christian kindness, their wounds bound up and every want provided for. The lesson has not been in the civilization of the time, when Cervantes, returning to his seat in the Spanish Senate, proposed to Spain to accept of the suggestions to Spain to accept of our example, awakened from her bondage to old limitations, and follow the lead of our American enterprise and American institutions.

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Jim Jeffries and Joe Kennedy to Get Together—Race in Fog at Aqueduct—Results at Latonia.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—The Yale and Harvard teams won in today's play of the Intercollegiate Golf Tournament, defeating Columbia and Princeton respectively.

The three best scores of the day were made by Reid, Smith and Robertson of Yale. The first named made the course in 83, and the other two in 85 strokes each. Cornelius Fellows, Jr., of Columbia came next with 87 in his unsuccessful efforts against W. B. Smith. Some of the players did not turn in cards, but of those who did, Chester and Cutting of Harvard each had 88.

The final round for the team championship and the cup presented by the Ardley Club will be begun early tomorrow.

Team scores: Yale, 42; Columbia, 6; Harvard, 26; Princeton, 0.

LEFT AT THE POST.

Sloan and the Prince of Wales are Hit Hard.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

LONDON, Oct. 26.—(By Atlantic Cable.) The Chester stakes at Newmarket today was won by the Lordill-Beresford stable's Dominie II, ridden by Sloan. Sir Walsley Griffiths's filly, St. La, ridden by Sloan, won the second welter handicap of 300 sovereigns.

The Cambridge Stakes was won by H. G. White's ch. m. George. There were twenty-five horses in the race. Owing to a bad start, the Prince of Wales's None Such, ridden by Sloan, and two others, were left at the post. The betting was 40 to 1 against George, and 7 to 1 against None Such.

SECOND OF TWELVE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, Oct. 26.—A selling plate for two-year-olds was won by Rothschild's Miss Bounce. Ethel, with Sloan up, finished second, in a field of twelve horses. The betting was 7 to 2 against Ethel.

The Nursery Plate was won by Bonner's Galetty filly, Manatee, ridden by Sloan, was unplaced.

Racing at Aqueduct.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—The racing at Aqueduct was not very interesting today, for after the second race a dense fog set in and the horses could only be seen at the start and finish.

One mile: Ballella won. Her Own second, Van Nessa third; time 1:45.

One mile and forty yards: Marsian won, Estaca second, Martin third; time 1:42.

Five and a half furlongs: Strangest won, Camatop second, Leandro third; time 1:08 1-5.

One mile and a sixteenth: Sensational won, Edith second, Sanders third; time 1:52 2-5.

Seven furlongs: Diminutive won, Kirkwood second, Tendresse third; time 1:27 1-5.

Six furlongs: Trillo won, Harry Reed second, Midnight third; time 1:17.

Latonia Results.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 26.—The weather was cold and disagreeable at Latonia today.

Six furlongs, selling: Randazzo won, Flop second, Primate third; time 1:24.

Five furlongs: Florissant won, Thory second, Schanken third; time 1:09 1-4.

Third race was declared off.

One mile, selling: Eleanor Holmes won, Ratusa second, High Noon third; time 1:54.

One mile and an eighth, selling: Harry Shannon won, Zulfal second, Gomez third; time 2:09.

One mile, selling: Kilij B. won, Dam-

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THE TARIFF AN ISSUE.

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It is not at all probable that the Republicans will lose control of the House of Representatives, and they are in a fair way to increase their present strong majority. They will do well, however, if they barely hold their own. It is the almost invariable rule that the party which is victorious at a Presidential election loses some ground at the Congress elections two years later. The disappointments of office-seekers and the proverbial apathy of voters in "off-years" are responsible in large part for this reaction. But this year the case ought, in all conscience, to be different. The voters of the nation, without regard to party, should have the good sense to put an effective veto upon any further attempts to tamper with the tariff. They could do this by defeating every candidate for Congress who stands upon a free-trade platform. But our opponents are making a strong fight, upon other issues than those of the tariff, for the control of the next House. We must meet them all along the line, on their own ground, but we must not lose sight of the fact that the tariff is still a vital issue.

The people of California, and especially those of Southern California, should need no further object-lessons than those which they have received within the past few months, to convince them of the benefits of a protective tariff to their great staple industries. And what is true of California is also true of nearly all sections of the country. The benefits of the change from the Wilson law to the Dingley law are so apparent that no person of ordinary intelligence and horse sense will venture to deny them. But no Republican voter should forget that in voting for the candidates of his party, whether for Congress or for the State Legislature, he is voting for the maintenance of the protective tariff, as well as for the upholding of all other Republican measures and policies in the administration of the national government.

In view of the proverbial apathy of voters in the campaigns between Presidential elections, every earnest Republican voter should make it his duty to go to the polls and vote on the 8th of November next. Our opponents are extremely active and will put forth every possible effort between now and election day to secure victory for their polyglot platforms and their candidates of mixed principles. Republican success can be purchased, therefore, only at the cost of hard work on the part of Republicans before election day, and a prompt performance of the duties of citizenship on that day.

The Evening Ecceema appears to take its readers for fools. If the aforesaid organette thinks it can make the voters of the Fourth Equalization District believe that George L. Arnold has not played into the hands of Collis P. Huntington at every available opportunity during his term of office, it and not the readers of its infatuation of Arnold, is the institution that needs a "gardeen."

The new women in convention at Omaha seem to be covering well the fields of ethics, politics, international law, etc., but we have not noticed much about pie and cake in the reports of the proceedings.

FOR GOOD ROADS.

By a resolution adopted at the adjourned meeting of the California Good Roads League, held in San Francisco, October 8, 1898, it was unanimously decided to support, and to urge the Legislature to pass, certain measures designed to promote the building of good roads in this State. One of these measures, which will be introduced early in the legislative session, is entitled, "An Act to Classify the Roads in the State of California, and to Define Each Class." It provides that the roads within the State shall hereafter be divided into three classes; the first class to include all highways designated as State highways; the second class to include all highways designated as county thoroughfares, and the third class to include all highways designated as district roads. The construction of roads of the first or the second class, in nearly all the counties of the State, is provided for.

One of these projected highways is to begin on the State line between California and Oregon, and to extend southerly, along the best grades and alignments, through the counties of Siskiyou, Shasta, Tehama, Butte, Yuba, Sutter, Sacramento, San Joaquin, Stanislaus, Merced, Madera, Fresno, Tulare, Kern, Los Angeles, Orange, San Diego, to Tia Juntas, in the last-named county. Another is to extend from San Francisco to Los Angeles, through the counties of San Mateo, Santa Clara, San Benito, Monterey, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Ventura, and Los Angeles. Another is to extend easterly from Los Angeles, through the counties of Los Angeles and San Bernardino, to the city of San Bernardino, thence southerly through the counties of San Bernardino, Riverside, and Orange, to the city of Santa Ana, in Orange county. Many other highways of the first and of the second class are provided for in the bill, covering all portions of the State fairly well from north to south, and from east to west. Southern California is not so liberally provided for as could be desired, and some amendments giving us a few more roads, will be in order when the bill comes up for discussion in the Legislature.

But, on the whole, the measure is highly meritorious, and if enacted into law will result in the construction of a road system which will be a credit to the State of California, and which will be of vastly greater value to the people of the State than is measured by the initial cost of construction. If a practical plan of road construction can be put into operation in California, the benefits which will flow from it will be so obvious and substantial that the good work will not be permitted to stop until every county in the State has been provided with a complete system of first-class highways reaching all important localities.

The board of directors of the California Good-Roads League also introduced the draft of a bill to provide for "the acceptance of highways of the first class by the State, and the maintenance of the same and to make an appropriation therefor"—a supplemental measure, necessary to make the other effective. The maintenance of good roads, after they have been constructed, is essential as the initial work of construction, if the best interests of the public are to be subserved. But if the roads are properly built, the actual cost of maintenance will be comparatively light, and will be a scarcely appreciable burden upon the taxpayers.

It is well that this subject of good roads is to be brought before the Legislature early in the forthcoming session. It is a subject of the greatest importance, and it must be treated in a manner commensurate with its importance. We have had no end of talk about good roads. It is time now for action. The Legislature will make a serious blunder if it fails to set in operation the machinery of new legislation, such as is necessary to the construction of an adequate system of first-class highways throughout the State. Such a system is one of the pressing needs of the time, and unless something is done to supply this need in the immediate future, the voters of California who believe in and demand good roads will be heard from in a manner which will leave no doubt as to their wishes, demands, and intentions.

NOT POLL TAX.

The railroad organette attempts once more to come to Mr. Arnold's desperate case, and save him from overwhelming defeat. Note its line of defense, and all the defense attempted. It is that the population of the Fourth Equalization District has increased in nine years 41 per cent. It does not say that in three years its population increased 36 per cent, the ratio in which the assessments were raised in this county. But this is not a question of poll tax. That is fixed by law and Mr. Arnold does not have to equalize it. The question is, did the property increase in value to the extent it has been raised on the assessment roll? The railroad apologist carefully ignores that point. In Los Angeles in 1890, when the census was taken, there were found about 2600 vacant houses. At five persons to the family, the filling of those means an addition of 13,000 to the population of this city. But it does not necessarily mean any addition to the valuation of the property. The same state of things existed in Pasadena.

The Soldiers' Home has added 1800 souls to the population. Come to the point. Did the value

of property in Los Angeles county and in other counties increase 36 per cent. in the three years during which Mr. Arnold has been "saving" taxes?

The people of Los Angeles, the city as a corporation, and the Los Angeles City Water Company, are to be congratulated upon the selection of Col. George H. Mendell as one of the arbitrators in the waterworks controversy, upon Col. Mendell's acceptance of the position, and upon the fact that he has been made chairman of the Board of Arbitration. His high professional reputation is a guarantee that the questions submitted to the board will be intelligently considered. The people of Los Angeles have not reposed much faith in the scheme of arbitration as a means of settling the water dispute. But all fair-minded men will hope that a just conclusion may be reached by the board, which will be acceptable alike to the city and to the water company, thus ending this vexatious controversy.

The condition of France, just now, is one that is calculated to arouse pity, tinged with contempt. Seldom has a great nation presented so lamentable a spectacle as that of the so-called French republic, whose people seem to be prepared to repeat the excesses which marked the downfall of the empire. The "man on horseback" will probably soon make his appearance, and then poor France will not be longer a republic, even in name. It begins to look as if the Latin races were incapable of self-government.

The Pullman Company will hereafter confine itself exclusively to charging \$2.50 for something that is worth about \$1, instead of spreading itself all over the gas, water, town-site, cemetery, garbage, sewerage system, house-building and house-furnishing business, etc., etc., in which it has for some time engaged.

Senator Billy Mason of Illinois is making campaign speeches, and in the midst thereof he at times lifts up his voice in song. When Billy speaks his audiences wish he would sing, and when he sings they wish he would resume speaking. The average American audience is a regular son-of-a-gun to please.

The tariff is not an issue in the State campaign, to be sure, but it doubtless will be before the next Congress. It is therefore behooves the Republicans of the State to take off their coats and go to work in order that the complexion of the forthcoming Congress may not change.

Admiral Dewey would make an excellent Democratic candidate for President in 1900, except for the fact that the admiral happens to be a Republican—or rather he is just naturally one. Our Democratic friends will be compelled to guess again in order to secure a first-class hero.

France is all torn up again, and the people are behaving like a lot of irresponsible children. The performances in Paris, whenever there is a public question up for consideration, has a tendency to make one feel that civilization—at least the French variety—is a failure.

Castle, the Populist, appears to be doing his level best, in his speeches, to elect Needham to Congress in the Seventh District. Should he prove successful, California will at least owe Mr. Castle a vote of thanks and will be glad to pay the debt on demand.

The Spaniards have been given a thirty-day extension, and will be permitted to remain in Cuba until January 1. Should the last of them move out on that day the Cubans will have extraordinary reason to shout "Happy New Year!"

The egg crop of this country last year amounted to 850,000,000 dozens. The fruitful hen never strikes; never lays off for holidays, and never fails to respond to an encore. One cannot help having a feeling of fondness for the helpful hen.

According to a dispatch from Manila, Aguinaldo went to his Congress arrayed in a shining silk hat and a gold collar. Such a costume would appear to be sufficiently breezy for any old tropical country.

Young James G. Blaine is to be dropped from the army. A man who is not good to his wife can never make a good soldier. The country has not forgotten how J. G. B., Jr., treated one little woman.

Things are working better of late. An American girl has just wedded one of the wealthy Barings of London; which goes to show that we have at least some good anglers on this side the pond.

Chicago is to have something else that comes high, besides its roof gardens—a 1150-foot tower for instance, in order that visitors may see over the smoke and get above the smell of the Chicago River.

The Nicaragua Canal project takes on a look of "goativeness" that is vastly encouraging to the people who have so long been clamoring for the digging of a ditch between the two big oceans.

There is one of the Gould boys still unmarried, but there is somewhere in the world, no doubt, an actress waiting to gobble up the young man and his millions, when the proper time comes.

A Milwaukee brewing concern has suggested that the battleship Wisconsin

be christened with beer instead of champagne. Go away, Milwaukee—Uncle Sam "don't like no cheap man."

There is now a long-distance telephone line in operation between Chicago and Kansas City, and the language that goes on over it is full of hog talk, one can safely bet on that.

A robust American army would appear to fit into the situation at Havana just now like a porous plaster on a lame back. We trust the long-felt want will be promptly filled.

If Mrs. Botkin succeeds in being tried in California instead of Delaware, she may count herself a very lucky woman. We deal gently with lady murderers in California.

There is a big shortage in the apple crop, but we are willing to guarantee that the elder crop will keep right up to the limit, just the same as if nothing had happened.

A Colorado paper asks, "Who owns America?" The query is respectfully referred to Uncle Collis, who acts sometimes as if he thought he did; and maybe he does.

The Emperor of China has recently been killed for the third time. If he has as many lives as a cat there would appear to be six killings still coming to him.

The Chinese exclusion law will apply to Hawaii, which is another reason why the islands have reason to rejoice that they are under the aegis of Old Glory.

Gen. Blanco has wired his government for money. This is the reply he probably got: "What do you take us for, do you think this is a national bank?"

There will be a big falling off in the mail business from Washington to the Pacific Coast when Pub. Docs. Barlow is elected to stay at home.

Every man on the Republican county ticket is the man for the place, and the people will say so "in no uncertain tones" on November 8.

It is not too early to begin to negotiate for red paint with which to decorate the landscape on Harbor Jubilee day.

Those Shoshones up in Nevada probably have heard of the beginning but not of the end of the Leech Lake incident.

The late war cost us considerable money, but then, thank goodness, we've got something to show for it.

France would have saved herself a few carloads of humiliation had she kept away from Fashoda entirely.

A Hudson Bay traveler has discovered a fish that builds a nest. My, but that fish must be a bird!

The Joint Traffic Association has been unjoined.

The Playhouses

THE BURBANK.—Horace McKee Rankin, manager of the McKee Rankin Company, has discovered a novel way of putting into practice T. Daniel Frawley's theory of persuading the audience to remain until the end of a performance. The method is simple, and worked to a charm on the large audience at the Burbank Theater last night. "True to Life" was billed on the program, and although everything seemed to be settled at the end of the fourth act, the audience referred to the program and placidly waited for more until an excited stage manager sent an admonition through the speaking tube to the leader of the orchestra, and the opening chorus of "Star Spangled Banner" broke the spell, and scattered the hilarious crowd.

Four acts of "True to Life" is quite enough. In fact, for a company with Nance O'Neil at its head, it is just four acts too many. The piece is a mass of cheap, flashy melodrama, without one redeeming feature. It is a literary effort of McKee Rankin's, and his probable pride of authorship gives the only shadow of a reason why it should find place in the repertoire of the company.

It has been said that Nance O'Neil first attracted attention in the part of a character in the part of his wife, because Nance O'Neil would attract attention anywhere. This part gives her just about as much chance to show her power as "speaking at a place" at a church social, or playing in school theatricals might do. She looks like Ludovico Juna in a dime museum.

Herbert Carr is equally unfortunate. After his excellent work in "The Jewess" and the delightfully strong and spirited presentation he gave of the trying role of Armand Duval, it is depressing to see him reduced to the condition of a sleek, sentimental pig, a character in which he is about as much at home as a dragon would be in the infant class of a Sunday school.

McKee Rankin, of course, is the ex-convict, and he revels in the chance to emit large, shabby sobs and to tell his woes to slow music. Mrs. McKee plays the part of his wife, the retired opera singer who deserted her child in the palm days of her career, and afterward wanted her back. She, too, does some extensive sobbing. Mr. Weaver as the old clerk is very funny in the first act, but has a drunken scene in the fourth which is rather exaggerated. Miss Allen is a clever as the Irish landlady, and another touch of comedy is added by the introduction of the little Bowery toughs, played by Frank Robbins and Miss Affie McVicker.

It is a relief to know that the standard of the fourth which is to be put on tonight. The company is good enough to deserve good plays. "True to Life" is billed for repetition Sunday night, but it is to be hoped that change will be made and one of the better plays put on instead.

COMING ATTRACTION.—"The Signal of Liberty," a strong melodrama, based upon the most thrilling incidents in the late war with Spain, will be presented at the Burbank next week by a strong company, with special scenic and mechanical effects.

POLITICS.

Four Republican meetings will be held tonight under the auspices of the County Central Committee. At Downey arrangements have been made for a big meeting and Gen. Johnstone Jones and George F. Adams will be the speakers. James C. Rives, the Republican nominee for District Attorney, will speak at Sierra Madre. The Republicans of Colton will be addressed by L. F. Eggers and J. W. Hart. At Clearwater L. C. Gates is to speak. Some of the Republican nominees for county offices will also be present at each of these meetings and will probably speak briefly.

Ferd K. Rule, the chairman of the Republican City Central Committee, has appointed the members of the Executive Committee as follows: First Ward, O. H. Willis; Second Ward, W. F. Botsford; Third Ward, Fred Smith; Fourth Ward, Dr. W. M. Johnston; Fifth Ward, George Alexander; Sixth Ward, Joseph Baxter; Seventh Ward, G. E. Pillsbury; Eighth Ward, J. W. Kinsley; Ninth Ward, R. E. Drummond; at large, Dr. Carl Kurtz, W. G. Worsham, O. T. Johnson, Francis J. Thomas, Thomas Goss, C. L. Strange, Simpson McClure, Dr. W. L. Moynay, Willis, George W. Walker.

A campaign committee has been appointed by Mr. Rule as follows: J. W. Long, chairman; E. P. Johnson, Jr., secretary; William Ball, J. A. Keeney, Oscar Lawlor, E. A. Heinzen, Oscar H. Hinters, Andrew J. Roberts, J. A. Nelson.

Both of these committees will meet next Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the new headquarters of the City Central Committee, the second floor of the Laughlin building, on Broadway, between Third and Fourth.

It will be a source of satisfaction to those familiar with the district services rendered in the last campaign by W. E. Ludlow, as secretary of the City Central Committee, to know that he has been reappointed to the position by Chairman Rule. Mr. Ludlow was reluctant to take the office again, but finally consented to do so.

Col. A. de Leur has gone to San Francisco to speak there, and at other points in the State, under the auspices of the Republican State Central Committee. The colonel is an efficient campaigner, and his work on the stump will be of value to the Republican cause in the present political contest.

Randsburg Republicans are arranging for a big meeting next Saturday evening at the Randsburg Hotel. It has been rendering such able service to the Republican cause in this campaign, will be the principal speaker of the evening. Preparations are being made for a magnificent rally and a record-breaking crowd.

The Republicans of the Sixth Ward are preparing for a big demonstration tomorrow evening at Akey's Hall, corner Vernon and Central avenues. Addresses will be made by Judge H. C. Gooding, George P. Adams, and a number of candidates. Music will be furnished by the G.A.R., Drum Corps and refreshments will be served. Ladies are especially invited. A big and enthusiastic meeting is expected.

An important meeting will be held at the Columbia Club, No. 130 South Spring street, at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow evening, which will be of special interest to the Republicans of the Second and Third wards. N. P. Conrey, the Republican nominee for Assemblyman from the Seventy-fifth District, Edwin A. Meserve, and Judge H. C. Gooding, will address the meeting. A large attendance is expected. The voters of the Seventy-fifth Assembly District should take advantage of this opportunity to hear Mr. Conrey. By reputation at least, he is well and favorably known to all intelligent voters of this city. As a member of the Board of Supervisors, Mr. Conrey rendered invaluable services in the detection and exposure of the gang of blackmailers, of whom Walter Webb was chief. He has at all times been a most faithful and efficient member of the board, and he is known as a man of sterling integrity and ability.

The Seventy-fifth Assembly District is a close one, and every intelligent voter of the district who desires a trustworthy and capable representative at Sacramento should give himself actively in electing Mr. Conrey.

Ninth Ward Republicans will hold a big rally tomorrow evening at Kreb's Hall, 805½ North Main street. It will be R. J. Waters, Will A. Harris, Senator C. M. Simpson and James Merced. A Republican meeting will also be held at the same place at 8 o'clock. Ward, at Painter's Hall on Aliso street. The same speakers mentioned above, with the addition of Ed Lockett of Pasadena, will address the audience. Music will be provided at both meetings.

The American Club of Pasadena, which has proved such an important factor in this, as in the last campaign, will leave at 1 p.m. on Saturday for Santa Barbara in order to participate in a grand rally which is to be held there that evening. A special train, provided by the club itself, will take the boys north. They will stop en route at Ventura long enough to give a sample of that city an idea of Pasadena's crack marching club and its enthusiasm for the Republican ticket. The meeting at Santa Barbara will be held at the Hotel Edwin A. Meserve and some other good speakers and by some of the Santa Barbara county candidates.

At the last meeting of the Executive Committee of the Republican County Central Committee, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted: "Whereas, the Democratic press of this State has charged that H. C. Young will be the accepted candidate of the Republican party of California for United States Senator in the event of the election of a Republican majority to the State Legislature; "It is hereby resolved, that the speakers and Legislative nominees in this county are hereby urged to make clear in their public speeches the important fact that the Los Angeles County Republican Convention explicitly instructed its nominees for Assemblymen and State Senators to vote for Hon. Robert N. Bulla for United States Senator, and "Resolved, that as the election of each Republican Legislative nominee means a vote for Mr. Bulla as Senator, the importance to this State of the success of the entire Republican Legislature ticket should be especially impressed on all Republican speakers.

Ex-Congressman James McLaughlin declares that he is not a candidate for the office of collector of the port, and that he has never, at any time, contemplated attempting to secure the appointment. He says that all rumors to the contrary are totally unfounded. John C. Cline has been recommended for the position by Senator Perkins, and his appointment is practically assured.

How to Do It.

[Fresno Republican:] The manager of the Euclid Avenue Opera-house in Cleveland recently tried a novel experiment in advertising. He abolished all bills and posters except a small one in front of the box office, but advertised a week's engagement of Julia Marlowe liberally in the newspapers. The entire house was sold and the manager has decided to use no more posters.

LETTERS TO THE TIMES.

[The Times freely publishes the views of correspondents on timely topics, without holding itself responsible for opinions thus expressed. Letters should be brief, plainly written, clear in statement and properly reasoned. No attempt should be made to annoy contributors. Cut it short; the space of 250 words, on the average, is sufficient for the expression of an idea. When the contributions are too long for insertion in full, extracts will be printed.]

Water How or Bolled?

HARRYARD MEDICAL Los Angeles: A passenger of intellectual appearance was holding forth on a local train upon the outrage done one of our soldier boys in Manila because he was put in the guardhouse for getting a drink of unboiled water at night, in disobedience of orders. The passenger promised to preserve the boy's published letter as a proof of tyranny and despotism in view of such facts, that in future Uncle Sam will wait for volunteers. This incident would be unworthy of record if the individual voiced the opinion of a small class—unfortunately he represents a multitude. Medical men know that if boiled water had been used exclusively in the military camps, typhoid fever would have been absent, and other germ diseases would have been largely eliminated. The command against unboiled water was a common sense precaution, as the camps were located and conducted. Before Santiago no attempt was made to provide suitable drink, the medical authorities of the army hospitals were likewise disregarded. The results speak for themselves. Contrast the present sanitary regeneration under Gen. Wood. Locally each autumn brings considerable typhoid. Vacationists drink from innocent looking tanks containing organic matter which has been in the water, drained through faucets, or they quench their thirst at some shallow country well. The piped supply of most suburbs is good, as proven by the health of permanent residents. The lesson is this: Beware of chance drinks and imbibe no unboiled water in localities where typhoid and other fevers are prevalent.

AMERICAN SUNDAY-SCHOOLS.

Conference at Chicago Was Opened and Work Planned.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Oct. 26.—Today's session of the American Sunday-School Union began with a prayer and song service. A discussion of the choice of supplying every Sunday-school organized, with good literature was conducted by W. S. Thompson of Wisconsin; was participated in by E. S. Vowler of Iowa; S. F. Morton of Minnesota, and W. T. Miles of Rockford, Wis.

The question of interest to the people in the work, was taken up in three phases, the press, Sunday-schools and churches, and was the subject of an interesting discussion by the leaders and delegates. The session closed with a discussion of quality and quantity in the work.

PARTING WAYS.

When the bright sun shines on leaf and bloom,
And a blessing of love lies on the land,
Together we breathe life's sweet perfume,
And follow one pathway, hand in hand.
All over the happy world we wander,
And into the world of your face and eyes,
And I read, as I would from an open book,
Of sorrow and joy and of sacrifice.
Oh! that is the day of life and light,
When we walk one pathway heart to heart;
But we are so well in the gloom of night,
And weep, for our ways lie wide apart.
Yours is the way of the shining sun,
Of life, and rest, and the light of love;
But I follow the night till my walk is done,
And my star flames forth in the void above.
Till my star flames forth above and before,
Till your soul's light will shine on my soul;
And then our pathways meet once more
In a golden way that never ends.
Say, ye plodders who mourn and weep—
Know ye that the further apart our ways,
The shorter the roads o'er which we creep,
And the nearer we are to the meeting place.

CHARLES E. WALK.

RETROCESSIONAL.

[With sincere regard to R. K.]
Ye rulers of our land, who lead the line,
In lead our hands in battle-line,
Beneath whose hand we now behold
An empire, whose hand we now behold,
Curse on the hand that led us on;
Let us forget, let us forget!

The pride that was our birthright dies,
Our captains and their ships depart
At word of war; official lies
Teach us a new and humble heart;
Salisbury, thy shaft rule as yet, let us forget, let us forget!

Far-called our navies melt away
From risk of French and Russian ire,
And all our pomp of yesterday
Is dead, with men of Dizzy's fire;
Hicks Beach, thy coasting spare us yet;
Let us forget, let us forget!

If, mad at loss of power, we think
That England once was held in awe,
And curse the policies that shrink
From such breeds without the law,
Talk to us softly, Balfour, yet,
Let us forget, let us forget!

Let us forget that once our race
Was stout and hard and strong of word,
Now let us take our mental place,
Duffing the idle, boasted word,
Empire on which the world is set,
Let us forget, let us forget!

—[North China Gazette.]

Maguire's Campaign.

[Stockton Independent:] The Los Angeles Times had a list of seventy-two men in San Bernardino county who have recently received single tax documents under Maguire's frank. We would like to know the information of voters that there is no law against Mr. Maguire using the franking privileges of a Congressman to further his single-tax campaign for Governor of this State, but it is well to remark that if he were not to do so, he would put his hand in the national treasury and use the public funds for the purpose of furthering his private ambition. It would cost him just \$7.50 to pay the postage on those single tax documents, and he would be in a sealed envelope. The people will judge November 8 whether or not he has a moral right to use Federal service for his state campaign.

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The Times

THE WEATHER YESTERDAY.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Oct. 26.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.02; at 5 p.m., 30.00. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 64 deg. and 67 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 19 per cent; 5 p.m., 46 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northwest, velocity 3 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 6 miles. Maximum temperature, 87 deg.; minimum temperature, 57 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

DRY BULB TEMPERATURE.

Los Angeles 84 San Francisco 59 San Diego 53 Portland 52
Weather conditions.—The pressure is falling rapidly west of the Rocky Mountain slope, but it continues high in the mountain and plateau regions and low off the Southern California coast. An area of low pressure is central in the vicinity of Puget Sound, and is causing cloudy weather and rain on the North Pacific Coast. Warm, clear weather with southerly northerly winds have prevailed in Southern California, but the temperature is now falling. The temperature is rising on the North Pacific Slope. No reports were received from east of the 110th meridian this morning on account of the telegraph wires being down.

Forecast.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Cooler, fair weather tonight and Thursday.
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—[For Southern California: Fair Thursday; fresh northwest wind.]

ALL ALONG THE LINE.

The fact that but two of the sixty graduates of the Normal School last year are without schools is a striking evidence of the appreciation in which the work of the Normal School is held by school officials.

Judging from the reports of the effect Congressman Castle's speeches are having upon the members of his own party in the Seventh District, the Republicans could make no better investment than to contribute to his campaign expenses and keep him going.

The fire-fighters and the rain, by a combination of effort, have apparently put a stop, or at least a check, to the mountain fires about Pasadena. The experience furnished by the last two fires there should be sufficient warning to induce those whose duty it is to do so to keep a closer watch hereafter and not allow the flames to get the start of them.

The various companies of the Seventh Regiment throughout Southern California are being called upon to give exhibition drills at their home camps. The Pavilion at San Bernardino was packed the other night when K. G. gave an exhibition. In fact every exhibition of the kind calls out big crowds, and the boys astonish their friends by their proficiency.

That the yellowtail are not mere summer resorters at Catalina is evinced by the fact that the biggest catch of the year was made this week by a lady who captured twenty-four in one day. That the same fish maintain their size during the absence of the Ananias Club is proven by the capture of one on Tuesday which was four feet eight and one-half inches in length and weighed forty-two and one-half pounds.

At least one San Pedro industry is growing right along without reference to harbor improvements by the government. The San Pedro American shoe from figures furnished by Wells, Fargo & Co. that during the first nine months of this year there was shipped from that place 1,139,806 pounds of fish—not including canned sardines and lobsters, this amount being 115,880 pounds more than was shipped during the whole year of 1897.

It is not a very good advertisement for an educational establishment when the pupils sit at the windows during the noon day intermission and amuse themselves by throwing fragments of their lunch at the passers-by, in the street below. This is a regular amusement with the pupils of a certain business college on Spring street. There is an alley in the rear of the building, and anyone who happens to pass that way about the noon hour is pretty sure to be bombarded. Residents in the neighborhood have made several formal complaints to the management, but they do not appear to have had any effect.

FUNERAL OF HARRY DAVIS.

Laid to Rest under the Auspices of Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

The funeral services over the remains of Harry Davis, the Southern Pacific engineer who was killed in the railroad wreck on Sunday last on the Santa Barbara line, were held yesterday afternoon at the undertaking parlors of Breese Bros. Deceased was a brother of Police Officer Harvey Davis, and Miss Helen Davis, a teacher in the High School. The funeral was conducted under the auspices of Pentaphia Lodge, No. 202, F. and A. M., assisted by Los Angeles Commandery, No. 9, Knights Templar, of which deceased was a member. Members of the commandery acted as pallbearers and escort.

At the undertaking parlors Rev. Will A. Knights conducted the religious services, the Masonic funeral rites being observed at the grave at Rose-dale Cemetery, conducted by J. F. Hughes, Master of Pentaphia Lodge.

The floral decorations were very beautiful. There were set pieces from Pentaphia Lodge, Signal Chapters, Los Angeles Commandery, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, Ladies' Auxiliary Committee of Railroad Engineers, Master Mechanics, Fraternity of Smelter, the train crew of the Santa Barbara line, teachers of the High School, and the High School scholars in Miss Davis's room. There was also a great profusion of flowers from friends in this city, San Fernando, Saugus, Ventura and Santa Barbara.

The funeral train consisted of five electric cars, in addition to many caissons. About forty members of the police force, under Capt. Roberts, attended the funeral services in a body. They did not go to the cemetery, as the funeral train could not accommodate the entire number of people who wished to attend.

Banning vs. Porter.
Oral notice of demurrer having been given to Justice Morrison in the suit of Mrs. Mary Banning against C. Wilson Porter for \$210, alleged to be due on a board bill, the court Tuesday set the case for hearing on demurrer at 9:30 o'clock this morning. As the proceedings will probably be of a perfunctory nature in these preliminary stages of the trial, "society" will likely turn out en masse to hear what Mr. Porter's lawyers shall have to say about Mrs. Banning's suit. At any rate, no arrangements for reserved seats have been made.

GOOD ROADS.

THE LEAGUE'S PROPOSED PLAN TO SECURE THEM.

Department of Highways to Be Created—The State to Maintain the Main Thoroughfares—Features of the Road Bill.

The Board of Trade has received from the California Goodroads League, San Francisco, copies of the bills prepared by that organization to be presented to the next Legislature.

The first is an Act to classify the roads in the State of California, and define each class.

Section 1 provides: "That the roads within the limits of the State of California, shall hereafter be classified into three classes, as follows: First class, to include all highways designated as State highways.

"The second class to include all highways designated as county thoroughfares."

"The third class to include all highways designated as district roads."

Section 2 provides that: "The following roads, when definitely located by the Department of Highways are hereby declared to belong to the first class. Then follow 23 paragraphs, each defining the route to be taken by 23 proposed separate highways extending through the State of California, or certain of its counties.

Paragraph 1 proposes: "A highway commencing on the State line between the State of California and the State of Oregon, at or near the point where said State line is intersected by the road from Yreka, California, to Ashland, Oregon, and extending thence southerly along the best grades and alignments, through the counties of Siskiyou, Shasta, Tehama, Butte, Yuba, Sutter, Sacramento, San Joaquin, Stanislaus, Merced, Madera, Fresno, Tulare, Kern, Los Angeles, Orange, and San Diego, to Tia Juana, in the last-named county."

Paragraph 3 proposes: "A highway, commencing in the City and County of San Francisco, and extending thence southeasterly on the best grades and alignments, through the counties of San Mateo, Santa Clara, San Benito, Monterey, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Ventura, and Los Angeles, to the city of Los Angeles.

Paragraph 22 proposes: "A highway, commencing at the city of Los Angeles, and extending thence easterly, through the counties of Los Angeles and San Bernardino, to the city of San Bernardino; thence southeasterly, on the best grades and alignments, through the counties of San Bernardino, Riverside and Orange, to the city of Santa Ana, in Orange county."

Section 3 provides that: "The roads of the first class by the county roads now recognized and set apart by law and not enumerated and classified in sections two and three of this Act as State highways or county thoroughfares, together with such additional roads as may be laid out, in accordance with the laws of the State of California, by the county Supervisors of the several counties."

The second bill is "An Act to provide for the acceptance of highways of the first class by the county roads and the maintenance of the same and to make an appropriation therefor."

Section 1 provides that: "Whenever five (5) or more miles of a highway of the first class, as defined in an act entitled 'An Act to classify the roads of the State of California, and to define each class,' shall have been located and constructed within the limits of any county in conformity with plans and specifications approved by the Department of Highways, the Board of Supervisors of such county may petition the Department of Highways to accept the said portion of road and to maintain the same."

Section 2 provides that: "Said department shall thereupon examine said road and certify to the Governor of the State whether or not such location and construction has been in conformity with the plans and specifications therefor, and if in its opinion said road should be accepted. Should such opinion be favorable and meet the approval of the Governor, such road must then be accepted by the department in the name of the State and shall thereafter be maintained by the Department of Highways as provided by law."

Section 3 provides that: "An appropriation of \$100,000 or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby made for the purposes of carrying out the provisions of this Act during the fiscal year 1899; said sum to be designated as the State Highway Maintenance Fund."

Section 5 provides that: "The Department of Highways is hereby authorized to advertise for bids in two newspapers in the county in which the road is situated, for contracts to sprinkle said road and maintain such high ways as may be accepted under the provisions of this act, and for the necessary appliances and machinery for the same."

Section 6 provides that: "The work done by day labor for an amount less than the lowest responsible bid, the commissioners are responsible on their bond that the work will be done."

Copies of these bills can be obtained by application at the rooms of the Board of Trade.

PERSONALS.

L. R. Tatum, a prominent attorney of St. Louis, Mo., an old friend of Foster Mathews, has come to Los Angeles to live.

Col. Albert De Leur has gone to San Francisco to do campaign work, and make speeches for the Republican State Central Committee.

Joseph Pim, who is connected with the auditing department of the Missouri Pacific Railroad at St. Louis, Mo., has recently arrived in Los Angeles, and expects to remain two months for the benefit of his wife's health.

A Faithful Employee Gone.
Roger S. Day, an old and trusted employee of Wells, Fargo & Co., died yesterday at Santa Monica, after a protracted illness. For a number of years, and until illness prevented his continuing to fill the office, he acted as cashier for the company in Los Angeles.

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a candle, but the Sheriff did not go very far in. The objection of the defense to this line of testimony was sustained, and Joe Hunter was excused. He remained close by, as he would be probably needed again.

Sheriff Burr recalled gave his own account of the search he personally made. He said he went under the house for about ten or fifteen feet, but he had no candle. That was on Thursday. A dog followed him in, and witness watched the animal to see if it would follow the trail of blood. If there was any blood about, Mr. Burr said he didn't go anywhere near the chimney, and the dog took up no trail.

Charles Plewkhay, a resident of 14 Crescenta, testified to seeing the defendant on the evening of the day on which he read of the disappearance of the Chinaman in the Times. "We receive the paper in the evening of the day of publication," said witness, "and I saw him between 9 and 10 o'clock in the morning. He came to the kitchen door, and I remarked to him that he looked as if he had been in trouble. He said he had been sent into the country to get horses, and had been thrown and had lain in the road all night."

On cross-examination witness said he saw a very strong resemblance between the defendant and the young man that came to his kitchen, and that as far as he cared to go, he could not tell the date, but in the absence of anything heard in the courtroom he would have said it was in the latter half of May.

J. V. Brighton, a local detective, testified to finding a razor in Clark's bedroom. The edge was badly nicked. It was hanging in a little box, and was shown to witness by Clegg, Joe Hunter's deputy.

On cross-examination witness said that he was told on the Saturday morning when he saw it that Joe Hunter claimed the razor. Previous to that day witness said he had searched the place as well as he could, but he had not seen the razor before. It was true, however, that he had not been looking for a razor, but for a knife.

On Saturday morning, witness said, he saw Joe Hunter and Clegg, and they were cutting the matting, and on Saturday morning he saw the razor. The witness asked to see the razor. Joe Hunter and Clegg were both there when he looked at it. On the same Saturday morning the stains looked as if they had been scrubbed over and looked clean. Witness said he went underneath the house for about six or eight feet, but didn't go farther, as he understood that other officers had been underneath. He saw no trail as it caused by a body, and he was engaged by Wong Fong to go out and make the examination. As far as he went underneath, he was engaged by the ground very dusty, and a trace would have been left if anything had been dragged through it. In the judgment of the witness it would be difficult for one or two men to get the body behind the chimney, and he could not say whether an "ordinary" man could so dispose of the body or not.

On the Thursday, witness said, there was no odor manifest, but on Saturday the odor was very bad.

The witness created some surprise by saying that he made a thorough examination of Clark's room on Friday and at that time he did not believe the matting underneath the bed was cut. On that morning Joe Hunter and Clegg were both present.

"Did you call the attention of Joe Hunter to the stains, or did he draw your attention to them?"

"Yes, sir, he pointed them out to me."

On redirect examination the witness said that he was positive that the little piece was cut out of the matting on Friday morning, and to the best of his recollection, the big piece was not cut out, either. In answer to Mr. Shinn, the witness said he believed the large piece was not cut because the piece being such a large one, if it had been cut he must have noticed it.

J. H. Earnhill, one of the deputy sheriffs, was called to the attention of the section of the previous witness that the matting was not cut on Friday. Mr. McComas beat about for a long time, and finally, upon being permitted to lead the witness, learned that he didn't know whether it was cut or not.

Joe Hunter, recalled for further cross-examination, denied that he heard anything against Clark, and also denied having advised Letitia Allee to get rid of Clark, or that he would find what money and clothes he owned.

"I told her she ought to get married to Clark, or quit him," said witness.

"Didn't you say, then: 'He's no good, get rid of him?'"

"No, sir."

"And didn't she reply to you that she would not do it?"

"No, sir."

"Didn't you say to Brighton on Saturday morning, when your attention was drawn to the stain by the bed in Clark's room, that you had vomited there?"

"No, sir; I didn't; and I don't believe Brighton was in the house that day."

That ended the case for the people, and the prosecution rested.

THE DEFENSE OPENS.

The defense opened its case by calling Mr. Brighton, who had testified for the prosecution shortly before. He stated that Joe Hunter had told him that he had vomited behind the bed, and the officers must have mistaken the stain for something else and cut it out.

Under Sheriff Clement stated that he was pretty sure that he did not see any gun or any firearm at Joe Hunter's when he went out on Wednesday.

The cloud of blood-stained earth handed out by Deputy Aguirre from underneath the bed, the witness said, was as large as a pen, but he didn't really know what was done with the shirt. Mr. Clements thought Martin Aguirre had also cut a stained silver from the kitchen floor, but he could not remember the appearance of the stain upon it, and not thinking the matter important, threw it away.

Miss Letitia Allee was next called to give the substance of a conversation she had had with Joe Hunter while riding with him in his buggy out to his house. It was about two weeks previous to the date of the killing, and on that occasion Hunter asked why she didn't get rid of Clark, saying that Harry had no money. He said that if she would "quit the kid," that he would get her all the clothes and money she wanted.

"And didn't he also say," inquired Mr. Shinn, "that if she would, only for his good looks?"

"Yes, sir," answered the witness.

"Now, aren't you mistaken, Miss Allee," interposed Mr. McComas, "and didn't Joe Hunter say that you ought to marry Harry or quit; wasn't that it?"

"No, sir, he did not; for I didn't consider it any of his business, anyway. He just wanted me to give up Harry for him."

"He just wanted you to swap off, eh?"

stated that on May 31 he was up the Copper River, Alaska, and returned to Los Angeles a week ago last Monday. He said that as a child his son had suffered from his disease, and ever since had been physically weak, and unequal to hard labor of any kind. Witness went on to state that on Sunday last he accompanied the examining counsel and C. Hemphill, and made certain cabinet measurements and measurements at Joe Hunter's place. From the measurements taken, he said, it would be impossible for any one seated on the rock, as testified to by the boy, Le Page, to see a wagon at the west corner of the house. Stepping from the corner of the house, one would need to step ten to fifteen feet before being visible from the rock on which Le Page said he was seated.

The witness gave the result of a number of other observations that were made, and then came adjourned until this morning at the usual hour.

A CASE DISMISSED.

But the Plaintiff Claims That Heavy Damage Was Done.

Kate O'Brien yesterday began suit against F. A. Seabert and Mrs. Mary Seabert to recover \$5000 as damages, and \$15.50 as costs of employing counsel.

The plaintiff alleges in her complaint that on the 18th of October, at Redondo, the defendants went before Justice Withers and preferred the charge against her of having stolen from them a lady's watch of gold and set with Mexican opals and pearls; one silver buttonhook, and on several occasions money aggregating \$25. A warrant was issued, the plaintiff was arrested, gave bail and was released.

On the 25th inst., Mrs. O'Brien stated that the defendants did not appear to prosecute the charge, and the case was dismissed. Notwithstanding, the plaintiff alleges that she was out of pocket just \$15.50 for costs and counsel fees, and furthermore, was injured in her reputation and business to the extent of \$5000. For these sums she now asks judgment.

A SHORT LOAN.

Suit to Foreclose on Some Mining Stock.

Adolph Schaff has instituted suit against E. J. Burlingham to recover \$1000 advanced as a loan. The suit was made on the last day of July, 1937, and defendant promised to return the money with 10 per cent. interest on or before February 1, 1938.

To secure payment of the money, plaintiff alleges that Burlingham deposited a certificate of the Bay Horse Mining Company for 10,000 shares, and executed a contract wherein he agreed that the certificate should be held in trust for the payment of the money, and that when the \$1000 was found the certificate was to be reconveyed to the defendant.

The money, however, has not been repaid, and the plaintiff now asks judgment for the amount of the loan with interest, and an order that the certificate of mining stock be sold and the proceeds applied to a liquidation of the indebtedness.

THE RODRIGUEZ CASE.

Dispute Over Premises Conveyed to Avoid Creditors.

The further hearing in the Rodriguez case was continued yesterday in Judge Shaw's department, and when the defendant went upon the witness stand he gave a different version of the trouble that had arisen between Mrs. Rodriguez and himself than that given by her.

Mrs. Feliciano Buelna de Rodriguez claimed that she owned a separate property lot C, in block A, of the Ocean View tract; that she desired to sell the property, and when the defendant, her husband, offered to act as her agent she consented to the arrangement; that she gave her husband a power of attorney—or thought she did—to act for her, and signed and acknowledged the instrument in March of the present year, thinking it was merely a power of attorney. When Mrs. Rodriguez discovered that the instrument she had signed was a deed, she was angry, and the present suit followed.

But José E. T. Rodriguez told yesterday quite a different story. To begin with, he averred that though he had lived for many years with the plaintiff, her husband is still living, and she and he were divorced from him, and consequently her proper name is Palomino. The defendant averred that in 1932 he owned certain property at Asusa, and as his creditors were suing him, he made it over to the present plaintiff. That property was traded later for the property now in dispute, it located on the cable railroad's power house. Both parties had lived there, but the defendant contended that the deed made by the plaintiff was merely a registered lie, and that he had conveyed to her in the first instance, on the understanding that it was to be returned to him at a later date.

The case was submitted.

FLOTSAM AND JETSAM.

Miscellaneous Driftwood Thrown into the Courts.

UNDER THE FLAG. Emil Larsson, a native of Sweden, was yesterday admitted to all the rights and privileges of citizenship by Judge Allen, upon proper proof of eligibility being made, and the oath taken.

TWO CASES SET. Albert A. Dow, who has stood trial once for grand larceny in a case involving nearly \$300 from a resident of San Diego, who was spending one night in this city previous to taking train for Chicago, had his case again set yesterday by Judge Smith for November 3. The first jury hung fire.

THE TWO ARRANGED. T. D. Heaney and Peter McIntyre, the two men arrested by Deputy Constable Muehlen on the burglary charge, were arraigned in the Township Court yesterday. Both men were held in bail fixed at \$1000 each, and were brought up this morning for examination.

TO MARKET FRUIT. The Claremont Citrus Union yesterday incorporated with a capital stock of \$10,000, divided into 10,000 shares, there having been subscribed \$2335. The purpose of the organization are to establish packing and drying houses and prepare citrus fruits for market, and to buy and sell to the stockholders such fertilizers, and other supplies and spraying materials as may be needed. No stockholder may hold more than ten shares to each acre of land planted out.

ADOPT A CHILD. Frederick Shield has petitioned that he and his wife, who are residing at Pasadena, be permitted to adopt as their own child Clara Anna Papenfuss, an infant born in March, 1936. The father of the child is dead, and the mother has given her consent in writing.

PETITION FOR GUARDIAN. Arthur Neff, a minor aged 18 years, has petitioned the court that his mother, Grace E. Neff, be appointed his legal guardian. The estate in which the minor has interest is valued at \$205.54.

REAL ESTATE TANGLE. A most complicated suit is being fought out in Department Four, wherein Mrs. L. F. Briggs is seeking to have certain deeds to Mrs. A. M. Cary voided. The property in dispute consists of lots 143, 204, 205 and 209 of the M. L. Wicks subdivision.

division of the Garbolina, Cooper, South & Porter tract, and the trouble had its origin when on March 22, 1932, the plaintiff gave her power of attorney to Paul Felt to buy and sell real estate for her. It is a many-sided suit, and there are about three different actions now pending.

SIX MONTHS IN JAIL.

William Gerall and Francisco Reyes, who pleaded guilty to a charge of assisting Chinese to illegally enter this country, were sentenced yesterday morning by Judge Welborn to serve six months each in the County Jail.

PAID HIMSELF OFF.

Walter Price Acquitted of a Charge of Larceny.

A young man of varied accomplishments, whose necessities compelled him to act as waiter in a cheap restaurant at \$5 a week, was arraigned in the Police Court yesterday on the charge of petty larceny. The prisoner was W. E. Price. He pleaded not guilty, demanded an immediate trial, and was promptly acquitted.

Price thought \$5 a week was little enough to work for, and when his employer sought to exact payment of part of even that meager stipend after it had been fairly earned, the waiter took advantage of a favorable opportunity to reimburse himself with the contents of the cash drawer. The amount in the till lacked 70 cents of being enough to satisfy his claim, but Price was willing to let it go at that. His employer, Carl Thomas, however, was of a different mind. He objected to Price's being a waiter and a thief, and swore to a complaint, charging him with petty larceny.

Price had anticipated this action on the part of Thomas and made no effort to evade arrest. He willingly accepted Officer Field to the Police Station, and acted as his own lawyer when a case came on for trial. Price made a long statement to the court in explanation of his action. He spoke with a frankness and candor that was refreshing, and gave an expose of Thomas's business methods that reflected anything but credit upon that individual.

Thomas squirmed under Price's disclosures, and vainly tried to induce Deputy District Attorney Chambers to head off this line of testimony. But Price was too good for that. He unfolded a tale that easily justified his seizure of the cash. There was only \$2.30 in the drawer when the raid was made, and Thomas owed him \$12. Price said he only helped himself after he became thoroughly convinced that Thomas was trying to beat him out of the wages due him.

The cashier, Mrs. Fitzgerald, was present when Price took the money. He had confided his purpose to her, and she made no objection. She showed that he was accustomed to have access to the money drawer, and that Thomas had virtually placed him in charge of the business while the proprietor was dodging creditors.

The question was asked Price why a cashier was employed if the receipts were so small and anybody had access to the money drawer.

"Oh," Price replied, "Mrs. Fitzgerald was simply employed to lend the business an air of respectability. She had little to do as cashier."

Mrs. Fitzgerald was in court as a witness, and the compliment paid her by the frank defendant caused her to blush. She is a matronly-spectacular lady, and it had evidently not occurred to her that she should be there as a mere ornament to the restaurant.

At the conclusion of Price's statement in his own behalf, Justice Morrison dismissed the complaint.

ARROYO GRANDE FRUITS.

A Fine Display Attracts Attention at the Chamber of Commerce.

A fine display of fruits and vegetables contributed by the Arroyo Grande Agricultural Association, has attracted much attention at the Chamber of Commerce the last week. In the exhibit there are forty-five varieties of apples of an excellent quality, and one could desire to see. They throw off a fragrant odor that permeates the whole building. There are also pumpkins that weigh 200 pounds each, and such other produce as large white onions, Chinese radishes, etc. The display is pronounced to be the finest of the kind that has ever been shown at the Chamber of Commerce.

Runaway Boy in Jail.

A runaway boy named Willie McMerdo is in the City Jail awaiting reclamation by his folks in Santa Ana. Willie came to this city some weeks ago, and was given a temporary home by a family on Boyle Heights. They got tired of caring for him, and yesterday turned him over to the police. The boy says he is willing to return home, but his parents have refused to send him the price of the necessary transportation.

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Mrs. John M. Hatton, a lady residing in Lebanon, O., used the remedy as described above and her experience told in her own words will quite likely interest all women who are suffering from the effects of a drunkard's life. She writes: "I used Dr. Haines' Golden Specific without my husband's knowledge and completely cured him."

"He was a hard drinker, a good man when sober, but for years I lived in fear and dread, shame and despair, poverty and disgrace. I shall tell other women about it. It is not a wonderful thing that a woman can take matters in her own hands and stamp out this dreadful curse to which hundreds of other poor souls, and they will cure their husbands just as I cured mine. I am so grateful for the marvelous changes that have come into my life that I just feel like I would do anything to let other wives and mothers know how to cure their husbands. I honestly believe Dr. Haines' Golden Specific is the best of all remedies for the cure of a drunkard."

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES.

Los Angeles, Oct. 26, 1898.

WHAT ENGLAND SEES. A New

England banker recently returned from

Europe and this is what he says of his

observations there:

"There are many interesting features

in the English financial situation at

the present time. Crops are better

abroad this year than last year; but

still they are not up to the standard,

and Europe must continue to import

largely from America. The fact is, the

English farmer cannot compete against

the American farmer and American

agricultural machinery. English bank-

ers are beginning to understand this,

and, although American investments

stand well with them, the necessity

of the situation compels their present

absence as buyers of American securities,

for they see that America will

continue to draw gold from London and

the continent."

These views are well verified by

what is going on now. In spite of all

the American goods being sold in

Europe the little funds of the Eng-

lish and France caused holders of

American securities to sell them in

New York even at low prices, for the

fact that they were not needed at

home to realize. This for the moment

checked all movement of gold this

way and caused sterling exchange to

harden.

COMMERCIAL.

THE RAISIN MARKET. On October

15 the Raisin Association, following

the advice previously given out,

made a new f.o.b. price list on

raisins in carload lots. The grading

was also somewhat changed, chiefly

in making a new grade, the "Pacific,"

consisting of fruit in the main the same

as "Standard," but more or less in-

jured by rain. Prices were advanced

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LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

EGGS. Are firm at 22 to 23 cents for eastern

and 20 to 21 for fresh, all kinds.

Butter is steady, local creamery being in

light supply and firm at 60 cents.

Lima beans are firm, but plums are very

irregular. Few are selling, and holders quote

\$2.50 to \$2.75.

Walnuts are firm at combination prices, 10

to 15 cars a day going east.

Fruit of all kinds in all shapes is firm. A

car of bananas came in yesterday. Prices

are unchanged, \$1.75 to \$2.00 per bushel.

Lima beans are weak, as prices are almost

prohibitory.

Sugar was quoted off 1 cent by the Western

Refining Company. It is an inquiry

the Arbuckle people coming on the scene to

begin the sugar war.

POTATOES. Local, choice fancy new

Burbanks, 1.00/1.10; choice to fancy early

Rose, 1.00/1.10; common to good, all varie-

ties, 85/95; new seed, per cwt., fancy, 1.25;

choice, 1.15/1.20.

ONIONS—Per cwt., 85/95.

PROTEIN—Per cwt., 85/95.

Carrots, 1.25; green peas, 60/70; radishes, per

bunch, 15/20; string beans, 4/5; corn,

1.25 cwt.; tomatoes, 70/80 per 30-lb. box; this

year, 1.00 per lb.; cucumbers, 50/60 per box;

egg plant, 4/5; summer squash, per box,

25/30; cauliflower, 1.00/1.10; hard-

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